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BATTLING NELSON THE LOSER AGAIN

Former Champion Knocked-Out by Owen Moran in the Eleventh Round.

BATTLER CAN'T "COME BACK"

One Time Great Pugilist No Longer Menace to Lightweight Belt—Bg Crowd Witnessed Fight in 'Frisco—Details.

San Francisco, Nov.. 26.—Battling Nelson, of Hegewisch (Chicago) Illinois, will no longer menace the lightweight belt. For the first tme in his fighting career, the "Durable Dane" a shell of the once great pugilist, was knocked out today beyond all dispute.

Owen Moran, a sturdy lad from Birmingham, England, did the feat in the presence of one of the largest crowds that ever assembled at a glove contest in this city. Moran knocked Nelson out in the eleventh round of a schedule 20-round event, his victory being clean and leaving no room for argument as to his complete mastery over the one time champion.

One second after the final round had been pulled off the referee, Benjamin Selig, shouted "You're out; Moran wins," Nelson was on his feet blood streaming from hiss mouth and nose, loudly importuning the referee to permit him to continue.

The eleventh and final round opened with neither fighter perceptibly in distress. Moran, who apparently had been bidding his time for a finishing blow, got his chance when Nelson with bowed head, rushed into close quarters. Moran flung his fight forward, catching Nelson flush on the jaw. Down the Dane went to his haunches for the count of nine. Nelson tottered to his feet, bleeding and dazed. Moran stood back, waiting for him. Again the Briton's powerful right shot out and Nelson dropped to the mat once more The performance was thrice more repeated, Moran each time reachng Nelson's unprotected jaw with his right. With the last knock down, the referee and the time keeper counted the fateful ten.

When Referee Selig declared Moran the victor, Moran turned a handspring into the arms of his seconds and dashed from the ring without a mark to indicate that he had been in a fight.

"I always knew I could turn the trick" he later declared "and you bet I feel proud to have been the first man to put Nelson out. Now I want Wolgast. The sooner the match can be made the better."

Nelson said that he had been counted out prematurely. He said: "It lacked but three seconds for the round to end and I believe that I would have been as fresh as ever in the next round. However, Moran deserves all the credit. He is a great little fighter and will be able to hold his own against any of them."

Fight by Rounds.

Round 1—They rushed and fought shoulder-to-shoulder. Nelson scared first with a clean left hook to the jaw. They buffeted each other about, Moran shootng rights and lefts to the face. It was give and take at close range until the round terminated with honors even.

Round 2—Moran drove his right to the ribs and followed it with several stiff right and left short arm wallops to the face and head. Nelson forced the pace, but Moran met him with several straight left smashes to the chin. At close range Moran swung a powerful right to the wind and then shot a straight left to the face.

Round 3—Nelson forced the Britisher against the ropes, but the latter avoided Nelson's onslaught. A fierce mid-ring rally followed, both landing savagely to the head and face. Moran shot a wicked right to the nose and scored first blood. Moran played for the face, and Nelson went to his corner spitting blood. Moran's round.

Round 4—Moran continued to outbox and out-general his opponent, stepping back and meeting Nelson with straight lefts and rights to the sore nose as the Battler forced the issue. Nelson varied matters by winging his right and left to face, but Moran evened up with more raking rights. Moran's round.

Round 5—Moran scored immediately with a straight right to the jaw, Nelson countering with two swings to the face. The Birmingham lad then planted two solid rights to the jaw. Nelson rallied and forced his man from one end of the ring to the other, landing with hard right and left punches to the head, but Moran evened up raining short arm lefts and swings to the face. Honors even.

Round 6—After a minute's fighting at close quarters Nelson hooked his right to the stomach. He forced Moran around the ring but that the latter met each rush with straight

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The House of Lords The English Elections

London, Nov. 26.—The election campaign is in full swing and the country is flooded with oratory and literature. Bill boards are covered with cartoons. The public, however, is not showing the interest evidenced in the two previous contests. One effect of the lack of enthusiasm, is indicated in the number of uncontested seats. In some of the Northern constituencies, where there is no likelihood of a change, the Unionists and Liberals have agreed not to opose each other. In other places the candidates who secured overwhelming majorities last January, have been accorded a walk-over. Among the fortunate ones are Joseph Chamberlain, from Birmingham West, and Arthur H. Lee, for Hants, Fareham division.

As the election draws near—the first pollings will take place December 3rd—the prospects of unionists improve and enthusiastic members of the party hope to win by anywhere from 20 to 30 seats. The best opinion, however, is that the unionists will only slightly improve their position and will probably win a few seats in London and North England.

The Liberals are looking for an addition to their strength, notably in Sunderland, where Hamar Greenwood, former member of York, is fighting their battle against William Joynson-Hicks, ex-member from Manchester, N. W.

Wales and Scotland are both expected to reinforce the Liberals, and the leaders are even looking for the return of some of the Irish seats lost in January. Any increase in the followers of William O'Brien is improbable. It is possible that he will lose one seat in Cork, which John E. Redmond, who is invading the enemy's territory hopes to win.

CONVICTS SEE MOISANT FLY

Gazed Aloft From Virginia Prison Walls Terror-Stricken and Silent.—French Aviators Made Flight Together.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 26.—Thirty minutes before Rene Simon, Roland Garros and Rene Barrier, French eviators made a spectacular flight over Richmond together today, John D. Moisant cut the figure eight at an altitude of 1,000 feet above the city and circled around the State penitentiary on two flights as a special show for 1,200 convicts who gazed aloft, terror-stricken and silent.

The double penitentiary flight was arranged today by the Times-Dispatch for the benefit of life prisoners, many of whom were locked within the gray walls long before the advent of street and motor cars. All of the prisoners were brought into the court yard under guard. Men high on the signal towers gave the word that Moisant was within sight. As he appeared above the walls and dipped gracefully, the army in stripes was too badly chilled by the spectacle to shout.

Cutting away from the prison Moisant pointed the nose of his monoplane higher, sailed directly over the tall buildings of the city and made a sharp turn that he might fly again by the place, where the convicts awaited him. On the second trip he flew still lower, circled again and then returned to the aviation field where 10,000 people had assembled for the closing day of the meet. After Moisant had been forced to bow and smile to the grand stand, Garrios, Barrier and Simon all of whom had flown over Richmond earlier in the week went into the air. their secret plan being to make a cross city flight together. Simon, first to get away, disappeared so quickly that his companions, racing behind, were unable to find him until he turned above the high tower of the city hall. From almost every house top people followed the aviators as they sailed gracefully, and high.

Driving a faster machine, Simon again eluded Garros and Barrier as they raced abreast in an effort to overtake him. Just as they cut through a shorter turn Simon veered to the left and disappeared again, his motors throbbing perfectly as he traveled faster than a mile a minute. While Garros and Barrier were still well abreast they passed over Broad street park and its football crowd. across the shopping thoroughfares so low that the whirring motors could be distinctly heard. After Garrios and Barrier had alighted in the center of the starting field, Simon, directly between the sun and the crowds suddenly swooped down.

While the sight of three aeroplanes in the air at once above the housetops was thrilling indeed to the whole city which looked on in wonder, the flight of Moisant was by far the most spectacular. As he came over Capitol Square from the East he had gradually dropped to an altitude of 600, the Belmont Park numbers under his planes being easily read by thousands of people, who had climbed to the top of sky-scrapers when word came from the fair grounds several miles away that the first cross-city flight of the day was starting. Moisant at times could hear the cheering in the streets. His dip as he passed over the penitentiary on his second journey in that part of town and his sudden turn made the most exciting scene of one day's crowded lying. Moisant arrived here this morning from Cuba to bring the meet to a thrilling close. "No city in Europe has ever seen seven cross-city flights," said Moisant, "and in this respect Richmond stands alone and unique. And no band of convicts ever saw an aeroplane above their walls."

Only one man in the big prison missed the show. He is in the chamber of death awaiting execution next week. Just before Moisant's flight began, the prisoner was notified that Governor Mann had declined to commute his sentence to life imprisonment.

A THANKSGIVING TRAGEDY

Bodies of Bennettsville, S. C. Boys Found in Ravine, After Having Been Missing Since Thursday—Inquest.

(By Long Distance Telephone.)

Bennettsville, S. C., Nov. 26.—After a day and two nights' search by practically the entire population of Bennettsville and surrounding country, the bodies of the 13-year-old son of County Treasurer Rogers, of Mariboro county, and the 8-year-old son of Mrs. Moore, a widow residing here, were found this morning in a ditch or ravine six miles from town, both having received mortal wounds on a Thanksgiving hunt for which they went Thursday morning.

The younger boy, Moore, was shot in the back, just under the shoulder blade, the charge of the gun passing entirely through his body and coming out at the breast. Young Rogers, the older of the two, was shot through the heart, from the front and powder burns on his clothing and the fact that the load made a round hole without scattering, indicates that the gun was fired at close range. A coroner's jury has been investigating the sad tragedy all day but no evidence has been developed to show any foul play. The most plausible theory and one that is generally accepted here, is that the younger boy was in front of his companion going down the ravine and in some way the gun of the latter was discharged, killing young Moore instantly and that young Rogers, suddenly realizing the terrible tragedy, turned his own gun upon himself and fired a load through his heart.

A great gloom has been cast over the community by the sad affair and the greatest sympathy is being expressed for the two families so deeply bereaved, the finding of the bodies coming after two days and nights of the most intense anxiety. The boys went hunting Thanksgiving morning and the finding of the horse and buggy which they drove and the return of the dog with which they were hunting to its home, led at first to the belief that the boys had wandered off and been lost in the Pee Dee river swamps, a theory that was not exploded until the finding of the bodies this morning. A boat in the river was picked up capsized yesterday and it was at first thought that the boys had been drowned, but this was later found improbable. The entire town turned out in the searching parties and a number of stores were closed yesterday and this morning in order that all might assist in the scouring of the country.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 26.—A sheet iron hat, weighing about 4,000 pounds, and standing about eight feet high, arrived here today on a flat car from Richmond, Va., in payment of a bet between the editors of the Richmond Evening Journal and the Atlanta Journal as to which city would show the bigger population in the 1910 census returns.

New coats, new furs, new sweaters just received at Polvogt's.

TWENTY-FOUR DIE IN FACTORY FIRE

Unable to Escape From Building Girls Met Horrible Death.

MANY LEAPED FROM WINDOWS

Delay in Sounding Alarm Fire Chief Declares Was Responsible for Heavy Loss of Life—16 Bodies Recovered.

Newark, N. J., Nov. 26.—In ten minutes 24 girls were burned alive this morning, or crushed to death on the pavement in leaping from windows, and fire escapes of the four-story brick factory at the corner of Orange and High streets. The latest count tonight shows that 16 of the 24 bodies recovered had been identified and that six girls are still missing. They may be among the unidentified dead or they may be in the ruins. The collapse of a wall tonight interrupted further search.

Fifty were taken to hospitals of whom two may die. Among the injured is Joseph E. Sloane, deputy fire chief, who was overtaken by the falling wall and buried in bricks and rubbish. He is badly hurt, but may recover.

The rush of the flames was so incredibly swift and threw such unreasoning terror into the huddled working girls on the top story that the body of one was found still seated on a charred stool beside the machine at which she had been busy when the first cry of "fire" petrified her with fright.

Were Terror-Stricken.

Horrible as must have been what went on in the smoke of that crowded upper room, what befell outside in the bright sunlight was more horrible yet. The building was furiously inflammable and the first gush of flames had cut off all possibility of escape by the stairways. The elevators made one trip, but took down no passengers and never came back. The only exit was by two narrow fire escapes, the lower platform of which were 25 feet from the street. On to these overcrowded and steep lanes, scorched dancing hot by the jets from lower windows, pressed forward a mob of women, blind with panic, driven by the fire and the others behind them.

A net had been spread beneath the windows, and the girls began to jump. "Like rats out of a burning bin," was the way a fireman described the pell mell descent. They boiled out of the windows like a thick treacle, rolled up on the heads of those below them and cascaded off the fire escape to the pavement 60 feet below. Some of them stood in the windows outlined against the flames and jumped clear; others from the landings; still others from the steps, where they stood. The air was full of them and they fell everywhere—into the net, on the necks of firemen and 15 of them on the hard stone slabs. When the awful rain ceased there were eight dead in the street and the gutters ran red. Seven more were so badly crusned that they died in hospitals. Fifty are still under surgeons' care.

Panic at Other Factories.

Clouds of smoke and showers of burning embers spread over the city and rained down on neighboring roofs. As the news flew—and it lost nothing in the telling—panic spread to other factories, where many of the girls in peril had friends and relatives, and several firms had to shut down for the day. Thousands flocked to the scene and made the work of the firemen and police more difficult. Italian silk workers fell in the streets and prayed and lamented pitiably. Priests and clergymen worked their way through the press to give the last consolations to those of their different faiths.

Ambulances and automobiles, com-

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OUTLINES.

Twenty-two girls were either burned to death or killed by jumping from the building in a factory fire in Newark, N. J., yesterday——The Navy defeated the Army in the annual football game on Franklin Field, Philadelphia, yesterday by the score of 3 to 0.——Owen Moran knocked out Battling Nelson in the 11th round of a scheduled 20-round bout at San Francisco yesterday. Nelson will no longer menace the lightweight belt.——Definite plans were made in Baltimore yesterday for the Democratic gathering to rejoice over the recent victory of the party throughout the country. Harmony and progress will be the object and leading Democrats will be invited.——Aviator Moisant made a flight over Richmond yesterday and was seen by the convicts at the State prison, who were terror-stricken and silent.——New York markets: Money nominal, time loans very dull and easy. Flour dull and nominally lower. Wheat easy, No. 2 red 96 3-8 elevator and 95 5-8 f.o.b. afloat. Corn barely steady, No. 2 new 52 1-4 f.o.b. to arrive. Oats steady, standard white 37 12. Turpentine easy. Spot cotton quiet five points higher, middling uplands 15.15, middling gulf 15.40.

PLANS TO REJOICE, VICTORY OF PARTY

Progress and Harmony Keynote of Democratic Meeting in Baltimore.

FUTURE WILL BE CONSIDERED

No Persons Will be Boomed for Offices or Resolutions Passed—Will Be National Jackson Day Celebration.

Baltimore, Nov. 26.—The movement to bring to Baltimore the representative Democrats of the country, in and out of Congress, in a gathering that will present an opportunity to rejoice over the recent Democratic victory and to interchange views as to the future, was placed on a definite foundation today when the committee in charge, headed by Governor Crothers, after a long conference with Norman E. Mack, chairman of the Democratic National Committee and Champ Clark, of Missouri, adopted the form of an invitation which will be sent to the leading Democrats in all the States.

Acting upon the advice of Mr. Mack and Mr. Clark, the conference as was finally considered will be dropped and it will be determined to make the idea a National Jackson Day Celebration of Democratic achievements on January 17th, 1911. The plans endorsed by Chairman Mack and Mr. Clark, contemplate a big mass meeting at the Lyric in the afternoon at which speeches will be made by leading Democrats of the country to be followed by an elaborate banquet. It was thoroughly understood at the meeting that the Baltimore celebration will not be in the nature of a conference, the result of which will bind or commit either the Democratic party or the individuals participating therein. It was further understood that there are to be no resolutions adopted, no person boomed for thepresidency or for other offices, and no resolutions passed indicating or outlining a platform.

Likewise it was made plain that no section of the country and that no element of the party is to be overlooked or left unrepresented, but that the gathering will be open, free and devoted solely to the promotion of party unity and harmony.

It is proopsed to send delegations to every Democratic member of the present Congress and of the Congress of both the House and Senate side to invite every conspicious leader of the party in the country regardless of their differences in the past and to extend a welcome generally to Democrats, who desire to keep alive and vibrant the present triumph spirit of the National Democracy.

Both Chairman Mack and Mr. Clark pledged themselves to attend the afternoon gathering, which will be in the nature of a National Democratic mass meeting and also to be among the guests at the banquet at night it being understood that Mr. Clark will be among the orators of the evening.

Mr. Clark and Chairman Mack were entertained at luncheon by Governor Crothers, Senators Isidor Rayner and John Walter Smith, Congressman J. F. C. Talbott and Chairman Murray Vandiver, of the local committee. Governor Crothers said that they had been asked over here to advise and consul with the committee which desired their co-operation in a movement which it was believed would be of benefit to the Democratic party throughout the country in that it would stimulate and inspire Democrats everywhere to stand shoulder-to-shoulder for the great fight that is coming two years hence when the opportunity will be presented the party to regain control of the government by the election of a Democratic president.

He assured Mr. Mack and Mr. Clark that there was in the minds of the Marylanders no motive save that of party harmony that Maryland has no candidate for President nor Vice President and had no desire to foment fractional strife and discord by pushing any one forward at this time nor even indicating a preference. "All we want," he said, "is to have here in our city, a gathering of the Democrats of the country, representative of all elements of a kind that will bring them closer together and help unify us for the future."

Mr. Smith declared that the proposition was one which every Democrat should support.

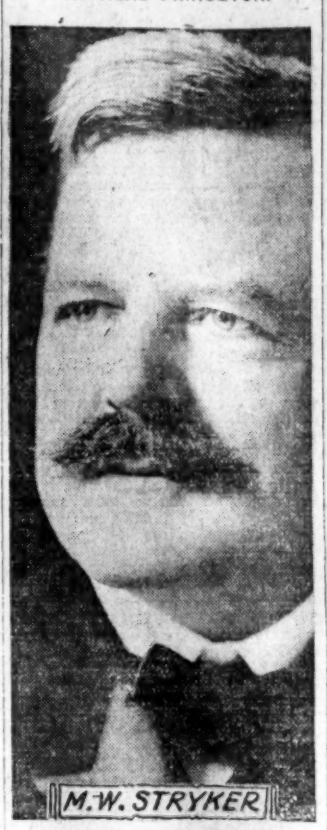
Senator Rayner, Congressman Talbott and Chairman Vandiver spoke strongly along similar lines.

Chairman Mack expressed his desire to co-operate with the Maryland Democrats and declared himself ready and willing to do everything that would promote party harmony and success. He pointed out the dangers in the holding of a "conference" and declared that to attempt to indicate policies or formulate a platform at this time would be both unwise and unnecessary. Friction and discord would inevitably follow. The suggestion that a celebration of the Democratic victory in the nature of a Jackson Day banquet and mass meeting, however, met with his party approval. He said that he would not only attend, but would do all he could to make it a success.

Representative Clark declared that he felt that a conference of self appointed delegates, who met at the edge of one part of the country would not be a wise move from the standpoint of Democratic harmony. He favored a Jackson Day Celebration in Baltimore to which should be invited the leading Democrats of the country.

The members of the local committee propose to start work at once with the determination of making the mass meeting and banquet the biggest of the kind ever held in the country.

MAY HEAD PRINCETON.



Princeton, N. J., Nov. 26.—Melancthon Woosley Stryker is said to be the choice of the trustees of Princeton college to head the university. Since the resignation of Dr. Woodrow Wilson Princeton has been without a president. Prof. Stryker is the president of Hamilton college of New York. He was born Jan. 7, 1851. He was ordained a Presbyterian minister in 1876 and has been pastor of various churches in New York and Massachusetts. He is noted as a student of hymnology and is the author of many song books.

HOW WESTERN CITIES GROW

Recount of Noses in Seattle and Portland Brings About Reduction of Figures Previously Announced—No Fraud.

Washington, Nov. 26.—In announcing tonight the correct population for Seattle, Wash., and Portland, Ore., as 237,194 and 207,214 respectively, Census Director Durand issued statements giving the results of the renumeration made necessary in certain districts of the two cities by evidences of padding of the original figures.

The original returns from Seattle contained 248,382 names, "or 11,188 more than the final figures," says Mr. Durand. "This difference represents names eliminated from various districts as not entitled to enumeration, and in the case of one district, No. 62, the difference between the original enumeration and a re-enumeration, which was found necessary. Corrections were made in the enumeration of 15 districts out of a total of 170. A considerable number of other districts, in which the original returns indicated the possibility of incorrect enumeration were found to be substantially correct."

The original returns for Portland contained 222,959 names, or 15,745 more than the final count, the latter number being eliminated on a careful re-checking of certain districts and the entire re-enumeration of two others.

Mr. Durand says that while it was found necessary to eliminate a greater or less number of names from a considerable number of enumeration districts in Portland, "the evidence indicates that in most cases the enumerators were not consciously guilty of fraud, and it is also clear that the supervisor, Mr. Beach, did all that reasonably could be expected to prevent the padding of the census.

Washington, Nov. 26.—Population statistics of the 13th census were made public today for the following cities:

Portland, Ore., 207,214, an increase of 116,788, or 129.2 per cent. over 90,426 in 1900.

Seattle, Wash., 237,194, an increase of 156,523, or 194 per cent., over 80,671 in 1900.

NAVY THE WINNER FROM ARMY TEAM

Middies Defeated Their Old Rivals in Exciting Gridiron Struggle.

THE CADETS WERE OUTPLAYED

Both Have Even Number of Victories to Their Credit.—Blue and Gold Floats in Triumph.—Large Crowd Attends.

Philadelphia, Nov. 26.—The old rule which teaches that if one cares to succeed he must try, try, again, was forcibly brought to mind on Franklin Field this afternoon when the Navy in a hard and clean game of football, defeated their old rivals, the Army, by the score of 3 to 0.

After six attempts to boot the ball from placement over the West Point goal line, Dalton, the sturdy half back of the midsnipmen's team, succeeded on his seventh effort and the three points which he had been striving for looked good to the Navy and proved to be sufficient to win the game. It was a pretty kick, squarely between the goal posts and was made toward the end of the last period of play. The kick almost broke the Army's heart but true to the traditions the Army stuck to it and did not show the white feather.

The Navy deserved the victory for the midshipmen put up a sterling game and outplayed the cadets from the initial kick off down to the instant when Field Judge Fultz declared the contest at an end.

Of Dalton's attempts at goals from the field three were made from the 30 yard line. The last of which succeeded; one from 19 yards, one from 29, another from 39 and one mighty effort 51 yards from the Army goal. All but three of his kicks carried to the goal line, but the stiff wind from the northwest which blew across the field carried the ball to one side of the goal posts. Dean, the star punter of the Army, made two attempts at field goals, one from the 44 yard line and the other at 45 yards, but neither kick came near a score.

The frequency with which resort was made to this method of attempting to score was because of the difficulty which the teams had in advancing the ball consistently. Comparatively few first downs were made by either team, but what advantage there was in this respect was with the Navy. The midshipmen played a fine offensive game and there were few times throughout the 60 minutes of action that the midshipmen did not have the cadets on the defensive.

The game will go down in the football annals of West Point and Annapolis as one of the cleanest and best ever played between the two institutions. It was fought before one of the largest crowds that ever gathered on Franklin Field and in brilliance, the great throng has hardly ever been out shone by any assemblage attdacted to the annual battle between these two arms of the national service.

In the boxes were many figures familiar in society circles of Washington, New York and Philadelphia.

Secretary of the Navy Meyer was present and he rooted hard and successfully for the Navy. Secretary Meyer was also assisted in pushing the Navy on to victory by Assistant Secretary Winthrop and a long line of rear admirals, captains and other officers, active and retired.

On the south stand opposite, there was an equally large number of army officers. In the absence of Secretary of War Dickinson because of the death of his son, General Leonard, chief of staff, upheld the honor of the army.

The weather was almost perfect for football and the vast crowd bedecked in the black, gold and gray of the Army or the blue and Gold of the Navy with a generous sprinkling of large yellow chrysanthemums made a brilliant and animated picture.

The six companies of cadets in their long grey coats and capes and the twelve companies of midshipmen in their navy blue uniforms, made a fine appearance as they marched with true military bearing across the field prior to the beginning of the game.

The Navy goat was on hand to do his part toward helping the midshipmen to win, but for some reason the old Army mule was not to be seen.

The two teams appeared to be evenly matched so far as weight was concerned as they ran on the field. The Army boys won the toss and elected to take the field with the stiff wind at their backs, giving the Navy the kick off. Much of the play in the first quarter was in the Army try and twice during the period Dalton, of the Navy failed to kick a goal from placement. The only misplays of the period of any note was a fumble by fullback Rhodes, of the Navy, which, however, did no damage as it occurred in the middle of the field.

The nearest that either side came to scoring a touchdown was in the second period when Hyatt, of the Army, fumbled one of Dalton's long punts and Gilchrist, the Navy Plete fell on the ball on the Army's ten yard line.

"Put it over. Put it over," came the cry from the frantic midshipmen in the north stand, but just as the teams set themselves for a might effort up went the timer's hand and the period was over.

The third period showed some ex-

cellent football and incidentally brought out several plays that could be classed under the head of new football. One was a wing shift by the Navy directed some times at the right side of the Army line and sometimes at the left. Occasionally it was used as a fake formation to cover up a forward pass on a kick. One like formation for a goal from placement badly fooled the Army team. So well, for the Navy who was set to hold the ball for a kick shot a forward pass to Hamilton that netted 18 yards. This was the only time that any substantial gain was made by a forward pass and it was seldom used.

In the last quarter the Navy secured possession of the ball at the Army's 40 yard line and by fine line plunging by Dalton and Clay and a short end run by Rodes placed the ball on the Army's 25 yard line. Here Dalton dropped back for the seventh time to try for a goal from placement. This time the kick went high, but it sailed true between the goal posts for the only three points in the game. Dalton's team mates hugged him and danced about with delight while the midshipmen in the stands sent up an awful din with their megaphones.

The three points looked very big in view of the failure of either team to carry the ball very far and the experts came to the conclusion that barring a fluke the score would not be changed. The remainder of the game showed little advantage for either side and the Navy left the field a winner, making the record between the two institutions stand seven victories each and one tie.

Following the close of the game there was the same kaleidoscope picture that has followed previous Army-Navy games. The six hundred midshipmen assembled in mid-field, formed a great wide circle and rushed to the colors as the Navy band added to the din by blaring out patriotic music. After the celebration was over the victorious midshipment, marched off the field singing "The Army and Navy Forever, Three Cheers for the Red, White and Blue."

The line up:

Annapolis	Position	West Point
Hamilton, Elmer	le.	Wood
Merring, Douglas	lt.	DeVore
Wright	lg.	Hueston
Weims	c	Arnold
Loflin	rt.	Littlejohn
Gilchrist	re.	Gillispie
Sowell	qb.	Hyatt
Clay	lhb.	Dean
Dalton	rhb.	Browne
Rodes	fb.	Surles, McDonald
Brown	rg.	Weir

The score: Annapolis, 3; West Point, 0.

Goal from placement, Dalton. Referee, M. J. Thompson, Georgetown. Umpire Sharpe, Yale. Field Judge, D. L. Fultz, Browne. Linesman Andrew Smith, Pennsylvania. Time of periods 15 minutes each.

CRIPPEN'S FINAL STATEMENT.

Declares His Innocence to Miss Leneve.—Published In London.

London, Nov. 26.—The last statement of Dr. Crippen, who was hanged on November 23rd, at Pentonville prison, is published in a Sunday paper in the form of two final letters, written to Ethel Leneve, one of which is dated November 22. The letters are not re-produced in their entirety, it being explained that they contained certain personal confidences, but nothing in the nature of a confession.

Crippen throughout declared his innocence to Miss Leneve and hoped that his innocence one day would be revealed.

The letters, which are printed as one, begin with protestations of passionate love for the girl and repeated constantly the phrase "God help us to be brave in the face of the end now so near."

Crippen continues: "How can I endure to take a last look at your dear face. What agony must I go through at last when you disappear forever from my eyes.

"I am comforted in thinking that throughout years of friendship never have I passed one unkind word or given one reproachful look to her whom I loved best in life, to whom I have given myself, heart and soul, wholly, entirely forever."

Crippen asks that Miss Leneve have his body cremated and if possible obtain the ashes and dispose of them as she deems best. He complains that his statement published on November 20th omitted his criticisms of the crown evidence, with reference to the scar and the absence of the navel, which he considered most important and proceeds exhaustively to analyze the evidence on these points. He asked that Miss Leneve go to no further expense in trying to secure further evidence, adding:

"I can safely leave further evidence to a just God."

He expresses the hope that Miss Leneve will go to Mrs. "H." where she will be free from the lying tales of the newspaper men and concludes:

"Tomorrow I will be in God's hands. I have perfect faith that He will let my spirit be with you always."

The paper prints a fac-simile of Crippen's will, bequeathing everything to Miss Leneve.

LYNCHING IN FLORIDA.

Negro Who Entered Girl's Room Shot by Mob at Mayo.

Mayo, Fla., Nov. 26.—Richard Lowe, a negro, was quietly lynched several miles outside the city before noon today for entering the bedroom of the daughter of R. M. Cobb in the heart of Mayo last night. The crime of the negro and the subsequent lynching was a secret until this afternoon.

Cobb was awakened late last night by his daughters screams and went to investigate. As he entered the room the negro jumped through the window.

A searching party was sent out and arrested the negro who was later identified by a portion of his hat.

A crowd of some forty men gathered quietly this morning and easily affected an entrance into the jail. The negro was taken outside the city and hanged from a telegraph pole. After the negro's body was riddled with bullets the mob dispersed.

The county judge has empanelled a jury and will hold an inquest.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 26.—The revenue cutter Onondaga, passed out of the capes late today bound to Hatteras to search for a sunken schooner. The name of the sunken boat is not known here.

New lot black Caracul Coats; Misses' sizes, 10 to 20; ladies' sizes, 34 to 40, just received at Rehder's. **

TWENTY-FOUR DIE IN FACTORY FIRE

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mandered for emergency service were hurrying in oposite streams to the hospitals and back again.

Before any semblance of order could be restored every police reserve in the city had been called out and it was not until late the estimate of property loss could even be ventured. Fire department now guesses $165,000, but no statement from the owners and tenants is yet available.

Flames Spread Rapidly.

The building was a four-story brick structure occupied on the two lower floors by the Newark Paper Box Company and the A. A. Drake Paper Box Comany; on the third floor, where the fire started by the Anchor Lamp Company and the Aetna Electric Company, and on the top floor, where the death list ran heaviest, by the Wold Manufacturing Company, makers of underwear. The wooden floors were soaked with oil drippings from the machinery and the flames ate through them like pasteboard. When they warped and weakened the weight of the machinery tore them from the walls and they fell into the basement in a horrible tangle of hot iron and mangled humanity. Sadie Benson, an employe of the Aetna Electric Company, was cleaning an electric light fixture in a gasoline bath. The gasoline took fire—she does not know how—and trickled in a little rivulet of flame onto the floor, where stood a full can of gasoline. The can exploded and the burning liquid flew far and wide.

Lewis Coxe, an employe of the box factory on the second floor, was standing in the hall and at the time of the explosion the shock was strong enough, he says, to hurl him against the wall, but the girls upstairs at their whirring sewing machines did not hear the explosion.

Fireman Brown, who turned in the alarm, was at work directly opposite the building, cleaning the windows of the engine house, where he is stationed. He saw a girl rush out of the factory into the street, screaming and wringing her hands. "There's fire in there," she cried, pointing back to the hallway.

Brown did not wait to ask questions he turned in an alarm and then dashed up the fire escape. Already he found 40 girls at the fourth story window, some of them so dazed with terror that they had not the wit to pull down the sashes and climb out. Brown smashed in the window and began pulling girls through onto the escape. He counted all that filed past him.

The floor was far from cleared, but the heat had then grown so intense that the skin was beginning to crack from his face.

He pulled himself to the window for a last look in but at that moment a gush of red streak smoke blinded and almost smothered him and he was forced to drop into the lee of the wall.

"It was the most horrible thing I've ever seen," he said afterwards. "The girls were hopping from the windows like rats from a burning bin. I never saw fire spread so fast when it got tarted. Before we could get the girls through the windows out on to the fire escape the flames were licking the wooden sashes."

Fire Chief Astey laid the responsibility for the loss of life on delay in turning in an alarm. He says that five minutes were lost in trying to fight the blazing gasoline with sand in a barrel. "If those precious minutes had not been wasted," he almost sobbed, "we would not have lost one single life."

Three Burned in New York.

New York, Nov. 26.—James Clark, a store keeper of the Bronx, stumbled and fell today as he was carrying a lighted kerosene stove and the burning oil saturated his clothes. His married daughter, Mrs. Annie Hunt, wrapped him in her arms in an effort to smother the flames, but succeeded only in setting her own clothes on fire. Both were burned so severely that they have small chance to recover.

Georgiana McElroy, four-year-old, spied the remains of a doll's chair in a burning heap of rubbish this afternoon and rushed into the fire to rescue it. Her skirts kindled and she was burned beyond hopes of recovery.

Several Badly Burned.

Pittsburg, Nov. 26.—One woman was fatally burned and four other persons are in a hospital in a serious condition as a result of an explosion of a gas range today. Mrs. Jennie Mason in lighting the range, was blown across the room and her clothing set afire. Before she was rescued she was so badly burned she cannot recover.

Fred Doyle, a son of Mrs. Mason, Mrs. Laura Knight, Genera Schafer and Virginia Powell, neighbors, were burned in attempting to assist Mrs. Mason. Firemen extinguished the burning clothing of all. The front of the two-story house was blown into the street.

"OLD GLORY" AUCTION.

Annual Event of Interest to Horsemen in New York.

New York, Nov. 26.—With sales aggregating $319,655 for the week the annual "old glory" horse auction in Madison Square Garden came to a close tonight. In all 769 horses were sold, bringing an average of about $415. Business for the week equalled that of the banner year of 1905 and 1907.

The feature of today's session was the double sale of Pierre Lorrillard, Jr.'s. pair of black trotters, Lady Chester and Tuxedo. Henry Hull, of Highland Falls, N. Y., first bought the team for $510 and within a few minutes sold it to Ray Miller, of Port Huron, Mich., for $700. In all 111 horses were sold today, bringing $22,035.

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NEW YORK STATION.

Opened on Manhattan Island—Trains Go Under Hudson.

New York, Nov. 26.—For the first time in the history of transportation on this continent passengers from Washington and points to the south and west beyond, walked into a station on Manhattan Island tonight, stretched out in their berths and rode through without change—under the Hudson river. The new Pennsylvania station was formally declared open at one minute past midnight and the first train—a local—rolled under the river one minute later. The Southern Express followed it at 12:30 o'clock and the first incoming express pulled in at 12:50. Thereafter the full train schedule went into effect.

When the improvement is completed, passengers from any point south and west of New York will ride under the city and the East and North rivers that bound it, to Boston and other New England points without change, but before that becomes possible it will be first necessary to build the New York connecting line from Long Island City across Hell Gate to a point of junction with the New York, New Hampshire & Hudson system. Work on the approaches is already well under way.

Thus the dream of Albert Cassatt, ont-time president of the Pennsylvania Railroad, becomes an actuality.

He did not live to see the accomplished fact or realize what it would cost. The figures in hand show expenditures of $100,000,000 and upwards. Work on the tunnels began June 30, 1903, and on the station May 1, 1904.

HARMON TO CROSS ISTHMUS.

Plans Flight From Sea to Sea—Will Sail for Europe.

New York, Nov. 26.—Clifford B. Harmon, chief of staff of the United States Aeronautical reserve, plans a new argument against fortifying the Panama Canal. He announced tonight that he will attempt, at a day not yet reacher in a aeroplane flight across the Isthmus from sea to sea.

"My object," said Mr. Harmon, "is to show that, no matter how strong the fortifications, at the entrance of the canal it will be possible for an aeroplane to pass over them at a safe height and destroy them, rendering the enormous expenditure contemplated a waste of money.'

Mr. Harmon sails for Europe on next Wednesday accompanying Claude Grahame-White, the English aviator. Both propose to fly across the English channel. Grahame-White seeks the prize of $20,000 offered for the first flight across the channel by an English aviator in an English-built aeroplane. He will attempt to fly from England to France, and Mr. Harmon from France to England.

FEDERATION OF LABOR.

Closes at St. Louis to Meet in Atlanta Next—Declarations.

St. Louis, Nov. 26.—The American Federationof Labor closed its 30th annual convention tonight by choosing Atlanta, Ga., as its meeting place for next year and re-electing all officers.

The Western Federation of Miners' application for a charter was referred to the Executive Council with authority to act. The first meeting of that body will be held tomorrow.

The contest between Atlanta, Washington and Rochester, N. Y., for next year's meeting was the feature of the final proceedings today. Delegations representing the three cities made vigorous fights on the floor, but the Southern city won with a vote of 8,739 against 5,337 for Rochester and 265 for Washington.

The convention by unanimous vote endorsed woman's suffrage, and placed itself on record as favoring the organization of all classes of labor in this country, including negroes.

SCHOONER'S LONG VOYAGE.

Sailed 8,000 Miles from Uruguay to United States.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 26.—The British schooner W. N. Zwicker, Captain Emeno, ended an 8,000 mile voyage here today. She brought a cargo of bones from Paysandu, Uruguay, far up the river Plate, to a local chemical company, and docked at Portsmouth.

She sailed from Paysandu on September 7th last, has been expected here for some time, and on November 1st was erroneously reported to have come in here, the barkentine Kingdom, having been mistaken for her.

The bones which are for use in the manufacture of fertilizer are mostly the beef cattle which died on the Pampas of Uruguay and Argentina.

New Orleans, Nov. 26.—Young Hurley, of New Orleans, was given the decision over Eddie Stanston, of Boston, at the end of a ten-round bout at the Royal Athletic Club here tonight.

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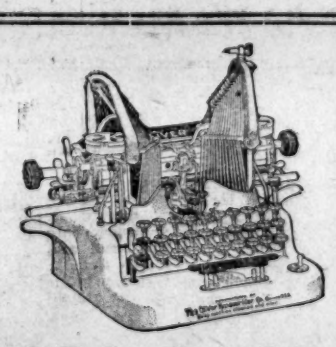

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WEEK'S NEWS AT LUMBERTON

Thanksgiving Observance—New First Baptist Church—Fire Alarm Ready for Installation—Theatre Attractions.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., Nov. 26.—Thanksgiving day passed off very quietly and pleasantly in Lumberton. The weather was ideal and everybody seemed glad of an opportunity to take a day off. The services at the different churches were well attended, and the day seemed very much like Sunday, nearly all business being suspended. In the afternoon most of the hunters were in the woods, scaring off the few birds that had not already been killed. There were many reports of guns in all directions, but very few birds were brought in compared to the number of hunters that were after them.

The first service was held in the elegant new First Baptist church, Thursday, conducted by the pastor, Rev. C. H. Durham. The congregation was large, the sermon appropriate, as was also the choice musical selections. There is yet some finishing touches to be put on the building, but from now on preaching will be at the new church, while for the present the Wednesday night prayer service, and Sunday School will be conducted at the old church. The Lumberton Baptist congregation now has one of the finest houses of worship in this section of the State, of which they are justly proud. The committee which has had in hand the supervision of the construction of the new church has certainly done the work well.

The equipment for installing an up-to-date fire alarm in Lumberton has all been received, but it is not probable that the work of construction will begin before the New Year. When completed the system will be very much on the order of the Gamewell, but instead of using a large fire bell, the fire whistle at the power house will be used, this being the central station.

At the recent election, a Justice of the Peace was elected in Lumberton township who cannot be charged with having bought the office. The bill for printing the tickets amounted to $1.20 and, of course, was to be paid by the three candidates who were on the ticket, but one of htem refused to pay his 40 cents, saying he did not ask for the office, and did not propose to spend any money on it.——Mr. Robert Demorest, manager of the Demorest Comedy Company, which is playing Laurinburg this week. Spent Wednesday in Lumberton with friends. Mr. Demorest is like most people who spend time enough in Lumberton to get acquainted with the people—will come back any chance they get.

Mr. F. W. Dick, of Wilmington, visited his mother, Mrs. S. N. Dick, one evening this week——Among the display of fine fruits which Mr. C. B. Redmond has on exhibition at his "Parlor Grocery," are some choice "Oregon Red" apples which retail at five cents each, but they are beauties, and find ready sale.——Mr. W. A. Clark, of Reidsville, spent Thanksgiving here on a prospecting tour with a view to locating here.——A Pullman sleeper was placed here Wednesday for the accommodation of those who visited Norfolk to spend Thanksgiving. Only six passengers took the trip from this place.——Contrary to expectations, the demand for turkeys for Thanksgiving was well supplied, and those who wanted to pay the price had their usual Thanksgiving turkey.——A solid car of New York cabbage was received here by express one day this week for a broker. The cabbage was very fine and found ready sale.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Sanders and son, Cecil, of Lilesville, visited the family of Mr. F. J. Thomas this week. Mrs. Sanders and Mr. Thomas being brother and sister.

Mr. C. M. Barker went down to Zara, Bladen county, to spend Thanksgiving with his cousin, Mr. A. B. Bush. A party composed of Messrs. Bush and Barker, H. C. Thomas, J. G. Parker, L. M. and P. S. Porter, A. J. Squires, and "Uncle" Salter Blanks, (colored) went on a big deer drive, and Mr. Barker declares it was the most successful drive he ever participated in. In a radius of 400 yards, three fine deer were killed and more might have been found, but they wanted to leave some for another time. Mr. Barker says that while the whole party had a most enjoyable time, "Uncle" Salter was the happiest man in the crowd, and although 71 years old, can walk down many men not half his age, and a 'possum can't climb too high for him, if the tree is not out of all proportion in size. When the three deer killed Thursday had been dressed, "Uncle" Salter declared he enjoyed hunting, but would rather have another glass of "dat cider" than aynthing in the hunting line. Mr. Barker brought home with him three quarters of venison, two hides, and a pair of snags, but he did not report how much of the half barrel of cider he brought along.

Mayor Rowland says that if some of the citizens of this place who fought so hard during the prohibition campaign for prohibition would be as active and lend their aid to those who are trying to suppress blockading business, it would be easier to enforce the law, but it is almost impossible to get evidence to convict anyone, and yet there is scarcely a day that someone is not seen under the influence of liquor. It does seem to be an undeniable fact that the authorities have little, if any, encouragement to try to enforce the prohibition law in Lumberton.

Some time ago a man going by the name of W. M. Wilson, came to Lumberton and entered the real estate business, having an office on the second floor of the Pope Drug Co., building. Some days ago, it is said, he left town without telling anyone goodbye, and did not leave enough cash in the bank to meet several checks he drew just before leaving, upon which he obtained the money prior to his departure. "Who's kissing him now?"

Mr. W. H. Fisher, aged 70 years, died at his home near Tolarsville, last Sunday, and was buried Monday. In his death that section has lost one of its best citizens. If we mistake not, Mr. Fisher had been postmaster at Tolarsville over 25 years.——Rev. A. E. Baker will preach his farewell sermon at the Presbyterian church tomorrow, and will leave next week for Lynchburg, Va., where he has accepted a call.——Mr. H. M. McAllister spent Thanksgiving at Monroe, returning home that night accompanied by Mrs. McAllister and little son, who have been spending some time in that town visiting relatives.

A "Japanese Honeymoon" filled its engagement here Thursday night, playing to one of the largest and most fashionable audiences of the season. With few exceptions the audience was delighted. Monday night Fayssoux, the hypnotist, will have the people guessing what he will do next. He has a great reputation, and will doubtless pack the Opera House. At 8 o'clock tonight Fayssoux will put a subject to sleep in one of the large display windows at the Eagle Furniture store, where he will remain sleeping until Monday night. Reserved seats will go on sale for this attraction Monday morning. Next Wednesday night the New York Comedy Co., will present the laughable musical comedy, "The Moneymooners." Although the names are easily confused, the attraction is separate and distinct fro mthe "Japanese Honeymoon."

A hurry 'phone was sent for a policeman Wednesday night from a residence in town, the impression being made on the inmates of the home that some one was trying to break in. An officer was soon on hand, and the terrible discovery was made that some one had actually stolen a 20-gallon keg of wine. The entire home supply of wine being in the keg, not a drop was left for Thanksgiving.——Yesterday can be put down as one of the most disagreeable days experienced in this section in a long time, as the result of high winds and clouds of dust. It was something fearful to contend with.

The Arkadelphia, (Ark.) Herald of November 17th, gives an account of the death of Col. H. W. McMillan, of that place, which occurred on the 16th. Col. McMillan was over 80 years old. He left Blue Springs township, Robeson county, over 50 years ago, going West. He located in the town where he died, and amassed a fortune from the practice of law.

A negro was brought from Maxton last night and placed in jail charged with killing one or two children on Thanksgiving day. It is said that two negroes had a difficulty over a gun. One shot at the other, but missed him and hit two children, one aged three years being killed instantly, while the other was shot through the lung, and though still living yesterday, is not expected to survive.——Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Proctor left this morning over the V. & C. S. for Graham, N. C., to visit Mrs. Graham's parents.——Mr. Lester Weiss, who has been attending school for some time at Gordon, N. C., came home this week and will not return.

Rev. G. W. Weathersbee, who has been secured as assistant pastor of the Gospel Tabernacle, arrived this week from Florida, and is making his home at the parsonage with Pastor Weiss. Mr. Weiss having been appointed superintendent of the Christian and Missionary Alliance of this State, will be away from home much of the time, hence the need of an assistant to look after the work here during his absence.——Dr. and Mrs. N. A. Thompson, who have been spending some time in Baltimore, came home this week.——Among the out-of-town visitors who spent Thanksgiving here, were Messrs. L. B. Townsend, of Hamlet, and J. P. Stansel, of Wilmington.——A band of Gypsies who have been making themselves a nuisance in this section for several weeks, took their departure yesterday, going towards Maxton. Sheriff McLeod pulled them for $300 State and county taxes, and although this band of robbers have been doing business in this State for several months, they are said to have evaded this tax until they struck Robeson. They should not be allowed to go through the country and rob people at any price.

DRAINAGE IN DURHAM.

Will Ask State Aid for Canalizing Ellerbe Creek.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Durham, N. C., Nov. 25.—At the meeting of the county commissioners to be held here next week, a matter will be discussed that will no doubt be of interest throughout the State.

The farmers living in that section of the county that is watered by Ellerbe Creek, which empties into the Neuse River, will petition the Commissioners to ask the State to dig a canal six miles in length changing the course of the stream and widening it.

The cost of the project will be something like $75,000. The basis upon which the county is proceeding is that Durham has been one of the State's best paying counties and that it has never asked State aid in anything. It is said that this scheme will make the lands along the stream rich and productive.

A petition will be made before a large delegation of farmers who will come here next week. They will take the matter up before the State authorities. There are a great many here who favor the project but many seem to think that it is too much of a local matter to ask the support of the State in it. The reply to this is that the river that carries the stream through Durham touches the eastern part of the State, that the swamps of the east are receiving the attention of the State and that this county has been paying yearly to the State from $50,000 to $60,000 without asking State aid in anything.

The matter has not been laid directly before the commissioners, but they will investigate it next week and make the recommendation that they think proper. A large delegation from Durham will be here and some farmers from Wake.

The "bargain hunter" is no longer the woman who merely haunts the stores. She is the woman who watches the ads and goes to the stores strictly on business.

IN UPPER PENDER.

Marriage and Revival—Meetings—Black River Church.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Atkinson, N. C., Nov. 26.—On November 23, 1910, at the residence of the bride, near Ivanhoe, N. C., Mr. Hayes B. Corbett and Miss Ruth Estelle Corbett, were married, Rev. E. B. Carr, officiating.

At Black River Church, in Wilmington Presbytery, the pastor, Rev. E. B. Carr, was recently assisted in a revival meeting by Rev. W. M. Sikes, Burgaw, N. C. Brother Sikes preached us real heart searching gospel sermons. As a result, the church was very much revived, and there were added to our number two on profession of faith. Pauls Command to Timothy did not fail to make its impress upon the mind of brother Sikes, as well as those who heard him, "Preach the Word." Brother Sikes has won the affections and sympathy of our Black River people.

At South River Church, in Wilmington Presbytery, the pastor, Rev. E. B. Carr, was recently assisted in a revival meeting by Rev. P. L. Clark, Clinton, N. C. The sermons of Brother Clark had the old time gospel ring. He also aeeded the injunction of Paul to Timothy, "Preach the Word." Our South River people were very much revived, and three added to our number, two on profession of faith. Brother Clark is much loved by our South River people, and all who know him.

We expect to have with us in a revival meeting at Harmony Church, Kerr, N. C., Rev. J. M. Plowden, of Wilmington, N. C., whom we hope will begin on the second Sunday in December, unless we get news to the contrary. May the Lord bless us in this revival.

DEATH AT ROCKY MOUNT.

Travelling Man Passes Away—Tobacco Board of Trade at Work.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, Nov. 26.—After an illness extending over several days, Mr. W. J. Whitehurst died at a late hour yesterday afternoon at his home, No. 403 South Main street. Mr. Whitehurst, who is a travelling salesman, came home from Virginia on Tuesday night and while he was not feeling well enough to continue his work, is was only recently that his condition was considered serious. The deceased was 44 years old and leaves a wife and three small children, an aged father, seven brothers and three sisters.

The Tobacco Board of Trade, of the city, is doing all within its power to invite, and urge the attendance of every tobacco farmer in Nash and Edgecombe county to be present at Crew's warehouse at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning, to attend the lecture to be given by Mr. E. H. Matthewson, of Washington City, an expert sent out by the National government. Mr. Matthewson was secured to speak in Eastern Carolina after hard effort upon the part of the members of the Tobacco Association of the United States, and so far as the farmers are concerned his visit should be one of the most notable events of the year. Mr. Matthewson is sent out by the Department of Agriculture.

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE

These time tables are corrected to Nov. 27, 1910, but their correctness nor the arrivals and departures are not guaranteed, the figures being given as the best available information as to schedules of this company and its connections.

	42	48		*Daily.		49	41	
	*7 00pm	*8 40am	Lv..	....WILMINGTON.....	Ar.	6 15pm	9 45am	
	10 05pm	11 37am	Ar.	.....Goldsboro.....	Lv.	2 59pm	6 40am	
	11 00pm	12 36pm	Ar.	.....Wilson.....	Lv.	1 52pm	5 49am	
	11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar.	.....Rocky Mount	Lv.	12 58pm	5 05am	
	2 15am	4 35pm	Ar.	.....Weldon.....	Lv.	11 30am	3 25am	
	4 00am	7 05pm	Ar.	.....Petersburg.....	Lv.	9 15am	1 40am	
	4 40am	8 00pm	Ar.	.....Richmond.....	Lv.	8 15am	1 00am	
	8 00am	11 50pm	Ar.	.....Washington.....	Lv.	4 20am	9 40pm	
	9 16am	1 15am	Ar.	.....Baltimore.....	Lv.	2 50am	8 20pm	
	11 25am	3 10am	Ar.	....West Philadelphia....	Lv.	12 19am	5 44pm	
	1 31pm	5 40am	Ar.	.....Manhattan Tr. (a)..	Lv.	9 50pm	3 58pm	
	1 50pm	b5 59am	Ar.	.....NEW YORK..... (7th Ave. & 32nd St.)	Lv.	*9 30pm	*3 38pm	

(a)—Connections made at Manhattan Transfer with trains to and from Jersey City and thence with Desbrosses or Cortlandt street ferries and with Hudson River Terminal tubes to and from lower New York City.
b—Sleeper may be occupied until 7:30 A. M.
48 and 49—Pullman parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman service.
42 and 44—Pullman Broiler buffet sleeping cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains with Pullman service.

	42	48		*Daily.		49	41	
	*7 00pm	*8 40am	Lv.	... WILMINGTON ...	Ar.	6 15pm	9 45am	
	11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar.	.. .. Rocky Mount ...	Lv.	12 58pm	5 05am	
	3 30am	1 20pm	Lv.	.. .. Rocky Mount ..	Ar.	12 55pm	10 35pm	
	4 15am	2 05pm	Ar.	... ... Tarboro ...	Lv.	12 18pm	9 58pm	
	8 00am	5 55pm	Ar.	.. .. NORFOLK ...	Lv.	*8 15am	*630pm	

48 and 49—Pullman parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.
42 and 41—Pullman Broiler buffet speeling cars, Wilmington and Norfolk.

	55	51		*Daily.		50	54	
	*3 15pm	*5 45am	Lv.	.....WILMINGTON.....	Ar.	11 40pm	1 40pm	
	7 25pm	9 30am	Ar.	.....Florence.....	Lv.	8 00pm	9 30am	
	11 20pm	12 50pm	Ar.	.....Charleston.....	Lv.	4 37pm	5 25am	
	2 25am	3 30pm	Ar.	.....Savannah.....	Lv.	12 05pm	12 25am	
	11 55am	2 20am	Ar.	.....Albany.....	Lv.	1 25am	1 55pm	
	9 40am	1 45am	Ar.	.....Thomasville.....	Lv.	2 05am	2 05pm	
	5 50pm	8 50am	Ar.	.....Montgomery.....	Lv.	6 50pm	6 05am	
	7 15am	8 00pm	Ar.	.....JACKSONVILLE.....	Lv.	7 30am	7 55pm	
	2 05pm	2 16am	Ar.	.....Sanford, Fla.....	Lv.	1 35am	2 55pm	
	7 00pm	7 00am	Ar.	.....TAMPA.....	Lv.	9 00pm	10 30am	
	8 55pm	8 00am	Ar.	...ST. PETERSBURG....	Lv.	8 15pm	6 45am	
	10 20pm	1 05pm	Ar.	.....FORT MYERS.....	Lv.	*3 00pm	*6 45am	

ALL TRAINS CARRY PULLMAN SLEEPING CARS—Sleeper arriving Wilmington on No. 50 at 1:40 P. M., may be occupied until 7:00 A. M., and sleeper leaving Wilmington on No. 51 at 5:45 A. M. will be open to receive passengers at 10:00 P. M., the previous night. Seat fares sold in Pullman cars to and from Wilmington.

55	51		*Daily.		32-50	54
*3:10pm	*5 45am	Lv.	.....WILMINGTON.....	Ar.	11 40pm	1 40pm
7 25pm	9 30am	Ar.	.....Florence.....	Lv.	8 00pm	9 30am
9 20pm	11 15am	Ar.	.....Sumter.....	Lv.	6 55pm	7 40am
11 10pm	12 50pm	Ar.	.....COLUMBIA.....	Lv.	4 10pm	6 00am
9 25am	.....	Ar.	.....AUGUSTA.....	Lv.	2 30pm	.....
11 30pm	1 10pm	Lv.	.... .. COLUMBIA, Sou. Ry.	Ar.	2 30pm	5 00am
5 30am	7 40pm	Ar.	..... Salnda...Sou. Ry.....	Lv.	8 45am	10 25pm
6 00am	8 15pm	Ar.	.....Hendersonville..Sou.	Lv.	8 05am	9 50pm
7 00am	9 15pm	Ar.	.....ASHEVILLE Sou. Ry.....	Lv.	7 00am	8 50pm
7 20pm	.....	Ar.	.....Knoxville...Sou. Ry.....	Lv.	*1 35am	7 40am
8 40am	.....	Ar.	.....Louisville...Sou. Ry.....	Lv.	.....	8 00am
8 00am	.....	Ar.	.....CINCINNATI Q. & C.....	Lv.	.....	*8 10pm

51—**SLEEPING CAR** Wilmington to Columbia and Parlor Cafe Car Columbia to Asheville.
55—**SLEEPING CARS**, Wilmington to Columbia, Columbia to Asheville and Asheville to Louisville and Cincinnati.
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57	51	55	*Dly.	!Dly. Ex. Sun.	xSun	only.	54	50	58
7 30pm	*5 45am	*3 15pm	Lv.....	WILMINGTON.	Ar.	1 40pm	11 40pm	*8 30am	
9 15pm	7 28am	5 00pm	Ar.....	CHADBOURN	Lv.	*11 40am	*9 50pm	6 25am	
11 10pm	!11 50am	x5 15pm	Lv.....	CHADBOURN.	Ar.	7 10am	5 00pm	6 10am	
12 45am	1 30pm	6 45pm	Ar.....	CONWAY.....	Lv.	x5 40am	3 50pm	4 40am	

61	53	*Daily.	!Daily ex. Sun	60	52
16 30pm	*8 45am	Lv.....	WILMINGTON.....	Ar.	10 15am	8 05pm
9 45pm	11 45am	Ar.....	Fayetteville	Lv.	7 10am	4 50pm
9 45pm	12 10pm	Lv.....	Fayetteville	Ar.	6 30am	4 45pm
11 10pm	1 40pm	Ar.....	SANFORD.....	Lv.	5 05am	*3 30pm

62	64	*Daily.	!Daily Except Sunday.	63	65
*3 25pm	5 50am	Lv.....	WILMINGTON.....	Ar.	12 50pm	6 50pm
5 22pm	7 42am	Ar.....	Jacksonville, N. C.	Lv.	10 55am	4 55pm
6 44pm	9 10am	Ar.....	Nor. & Sou. Junction.....	Lv.	*9 35am	3 35pm
6 50pm	9 15am	Ar.....	NEWBERN, N. C.....	Lv.	*9 30am	3 30pm

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Trains Arrive at Wilmington

NO. 40—12:20 P. M.—From Charlotte, No. 44—11:59 A. M.—From Charlotte and intermediate points.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 6 for all points North at Monroe with No. 8 for Atlanta.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 41 for Atlanta, Birmingham and Memphis. No. 9 for Washington and New York and No. 43 for Portsmouth, Norfolk and No. 42 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

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TO THE BEACH

WEEK DAYS.

Leave Front and Princess:	Leave Beach:
6:50 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
8:30	9:15
10:00	10:45
11:30	12:15
1:00 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
2:00	2:45
3:00	3:45
3:30	4:45
4:30	5:15
5:30	6:25
6:10	6:50
7:10	7:50
8:30	9:15
10:00	10:45
SUNDAYS.	
8:30 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
9:30	10:15
10:30	10:45
11:30	12:15 P. M.
1:00 P. M.	1:45
2:00 and every half hour until	2:45 and every half hour until
5:30	5:45
6:10	6:25
7:10	7:50
8:30	9:15
10:00	10:45

WRIGHTSVILLE.

Leave Wilmington for Wrightsville:
Week Days: 6:50, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M.; 1:00, 2:00, 3:00, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.
Sundays: 8:30, 9:30, 10:00 11:30 A. M.; 1:00, 2:00, 230, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:00 P. M.
Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington:
Week Days: 6:20, 7:30 7:55, 8:25, 9:25, 10:55 A. M.; 12:25, 1:55, 2:55, 3:55, 4:25, 5:25, 6:35, 7:00, 8:00, 9:25, 10:55, 11:30 P. M.
Sundays: 9:25, 10:25, 10:55, A. M.; 12:25, 1:55, 2:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:26, 5:55, 6:35, 7:00, 8:00, 9:25, 10:55, 11:30 P. M.

GOLF LINKS.

Leave Wilmington for Golf Links:
Week Days: 6:50, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30, 1:00, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30.
Leave Golf Links for Wilmington:
Week days: 6:35, 7:45, 8:15, 8:45, 9:45, 11:15, 12:45, 2:15, 2:45, 3:15, 4:15, 5:15, 5:45, 6:55, 7:15, 8:15, 9:45, 11:15, 11:45.

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Lv. Petersburg	10:50 a m	10:40 p m
Lv. Durham	7:00 a m	8:30 p m
Lv. Lynchburg	2:35 p m	2:30 a m
ar. Cincinnati	7:30 a m	6:25 p m
ar. Columbus	6:45 a m	7:05 p m
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p m	7:20 a m
ar. St. Louis	6:32 p m	8:30 a m

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Sunday, November 27, 1910.

Do your best work this year and you will have more things for which to give thanks next year.

A New York baseball pitcher is to receive a salary of $15,000 for the season. That would pay the average preacher for ten years. When we reverse the pay for pitching and preaching it will be a sign that we attach more importance to religion than we do to baseball. At present, baseball has it on us.

"Prices are falling," says a Washington dispatch. However, prices had beaten the altitude record and they have been so high you can't see them falling. Prices probably will come down so gradually that they will be in no danger of a smash-up by the fall. The law of gravitation will not affect their fall so as you will notice it.

The government seems disposed to dissolve the Sugar Trust. It will make a sweet mess of it, if it follows the usual method. The only dissolvent that could be effectively used upon the Sugar Trust would be to take off the protective tariff under which it swindles the government and soaks it to the people who use sugar.

The Maxton Scottish Chief is going to issue another one of its attractive Christmas issues. The Chief is to celebrate by presenting itself as a handsomely illustrated sixteen or twenty page paper printed on enameled book paper. Editor Harker can't help showing his enterprise as well as flaunting the prosperity of his excellent paper.

The grafters connected with the New York State Insane Asylum on Ward's Island have gone the limit in swiping the meat intended for crazy people. In a single wagon 1,500 pounds of good meat was carried away and nobody about the institution knows who took it. Evidently some grafter had decided to start opposition to the meat trust.

After the government fined the Glass Trust $10,000 it reduced the wages of its employes 30 per cent. It had to take it out of either its employes or the consumers of its wares, and as it already had squeezed the consumers to the limit there was nothing else to do but to make a swipe at the men who produce the wares which bring wealth to the Trust. Evidently, the Glass Trust is not one of President Taft's "good trusts."

There is some talk of opposition to the Hon. Champ Clark for Speaker of the House. He's "from Missouri" when it comes to anybody else's chances but his own. He is in favor of making the landslide more effective by not having anybody else for Speaker but him. He has wanted to be Speaker longer than anybody else and it is not fair to him for other men to get gay all of a sudden just because a Democratic victory opens up new opportunities for men who want to get higher up.

Said the Norfolk Landmark of Friday, the day after the Thanksgiving Day football game between the V. P. I.'s and the North Carolina A. & M.: "Norfolk was a bigger North Carolina town last night than anything that the Tar Heel State can boast of." Well, North Carolina loves to boast of Norfolk, for Norfolk is really a North Carolina city in most every particular except its geographical position. We may decide some of these days to annex Norfolk and scoop back all of those "Down Homers" who strayed over there and have been doing things.

PROFITABLE CORN GROWING.

The Columbia State tells us that Jerry Moore, the famous Florence county boy, who produced 228 bushels and three pecks of corn on one acre of land, acknowledges that in order to accomplish that result, it cost him a little more than the corn is worth at the ordinary market price. Nevertheless, the South Carolina 15-year-old might do like North Carolina's boy champion corn grower who sold his prize corn at big prices for seed. By doing that the North Carolina youth raked in a little fortune, as his seed corn was in demand throughout the United States.

Jerry Moore, as well as the boys of the Boys' Corn Clubs of North and South Carolina, was farming a prize acre on the intensive scale with the sole view of winning prize money and the honor of making world's record growing records. Even though the expense of producing these enormous yields is greater than the money return would be for ordinary corn at the market price, nevertheless, these demonstrations are specially valuable for the reason that thy demonstrate the possibilities of our lands. They also demonstrate how far the farmer can go in the expense of intensive farming, so that they can make sure of reasonable profit in corn or cotton production. These prize farming experiments also serve to teach the proper preparation of our lands, the best method of cultivation and the most scientific fertilization, while the fact should be kept in view that the expense of bringing an acre up to a high state of cultivation leaves that acre in a condition to produce a big crop at less expense the next season. The first expense in preparing the land is an investment that will return a big profit for the next crop of whatever is grown on the land. The expense of producing 228 bushels on the Florence boy's prize acre was very little more that his estimated financial return for his crop, but his acre of land is now in a condition to do its best under intelligent treatment following its restoration to productvity.

In this connection we find in the Lexington, (N. C.) Dispatch this interesting and valuable reference to the profitable experience of a North Carolina farmer in corn growing:

"Mr. P. D. Finch, one of Davidson county's champion corn growers, was in the city yesterday, collecting the premiums that he won at the fair last week. He gave some facts about his prize acre that are unusually interesting. From one acre he gathered 91 bushels and twelve pounds and on this acre he used one bag of nitrate of soda and 175 pounds of fertilizer. From four acres he made 322 bushels, using on the four acres only two bags of nitrate of soda and 175 pounds of fertilizer to the acre. The average made, therefore, is 80 1-2 bushels per acre, with a cost of $5 per acre for fertilizer and counting all other expenses, he comes out with a profit of about $50 per acre. This is a splendid record and is a striking demonstration of what can be accomplished if good judgment is used. Mr. Finch also won a fine Stetson hat for the best ten ears of corn."

Farmer Finch and prize farmers Jerry Moore and Batts have fully demonstrated that corn can be produced at a good profit in the Carolinas. Better methods and proper fertilization will go a great way towards increasing the corn yield per acre and increasing corn production in our States. In this result lies the great value of the demonstrations in corn growing.

South Carolina's champion corn grower is the son of the Rev. J. H. Moore, a Methodist preacher, who resides near Winona, Florence county, South Carolina. He is a mere strip of a lad and by thris time has doubtless had his name and fame published in more newspapers and magazines than any boy in the world. The South Carolina champion bought his seed from North Carolina's champion, young farmer Batts, of Raleigh, N. C. Last year young Batts produced 226 2-3 bushels of corn on one acre in Wake county. He sold his crop as seed corn and it is known all over the country as "Batts' Prolific Corn.' With some of young Batts' seed young Moore beat young Batts' record by producing 228 3-4 bushels to 226 2-3 bushels made by the North Carolina youth.

Jerry Moore made his world's record on what is described as "poor sandy land, such as hundreds of farmers in North and South Carolina have worn out and moved away from because they couldn't make a living on it." On this land young Moore put 50 loads of stable manure and from the swamps and branches he dug up and hauled three hundred wagon loads of muck and rich dirt which he broadcasted over the prize acre. Of course, that was expensive, and while the yield was not quite sufficient to pay expenses, young Moore's prizes will amount to $1,000 or more. No doubt he also will add to nisprofits by selling his crop as seed corn instead of using it for ordinary farm purposes.

Emma Goldman, the woman anarchist agitator, denounces churches and declares she is a pagan. Emma is slow in making that announcement Anybody would take her for a pagan without waiting for her to give herself away.

WILMINGTIN'S WATERWAYS.

No port on the South Atlantic can equal Wilmington's tremendous advantages in the possibilities of its inland navigation. About 500 miles of river navigation tributary to Wilmington and the inland commerce is a big item in Wilmington's business during the course of a year. If all the navigable waters around Wilmington were developed to their fullest potentiality and the fertile regions through which they flow were populous, there are possibilities for inland commerce of tremendous proportions. Some of these days the importance of our navigable waterways will be more fully appreciated than they are now, and when once all our navigable streams are improved a little empire can be reached by steamers in and out of Wilmington.

Wilmington is now reaping large benefits from navigation on the Cape Fear river, the Northeast river, the Black river, Town Creek and several navigable creeks on which steamers and flat bottom boats ply. Besides these, however, there are some nearby rivers which furnish buisness to Wilmington on account of traffic which they produce and which reaches Wilmington partly by the ocean. Several such streams, if improved, would furnish a great amount of business, and one of these is the Shallotte river, Brunswick county. At the last session of Congress an appropriation was made for a preliminary survey of Shallotte river with a view to improvement of navigation on that stream. Yesterday Captain Earl I. Brown, Corps of Engineers United States Army, went down to Shallotte to make an examination of the stream so he can make a report upon the same. Upon his invitation, the citizens of the Shallotte country met him for the purpose of furnishing him such information as they could with reference to the possible benefits which would result from improvement of the stream. A meeting was held in a hall at Shallotte and Mr. F. P. White, of that place, had enlisted the interest of the people in it.

It was thoughtful of Capt. Brown to extend an invitation to the Shallotte citizens to meet him and express their views and give information, and beyond its being a courtesy it indicates that the engineer desires to give Shallotte river the full benefit of the survey. As Wilmington is specially interested in the improvement of such streams as Shallotte river, Little river and New river, the business people of this city should take more interest in their improvement. We have no doubt Wilmington can be greatly benefitted by increased interest in the improvement of all waterways capable of contributing business to this port. There are immense possibilities in these local waterways and we must keep our eyes on them and not let slip the opportunity to secure their improvement when possible. Wilmington will be directly on the great coastal inland waterway, upon which work is progressing, and with her splendid inland and ocean navigation there is no port on the Atlantic occupying so enviable a position with reference to water traffic.

It is said a Connecticut woman earned $10,000 selling eggs. However, no consumer will be surprised at that.

Probably Mr. Berger, the Milwaukee Socialist, got elected to Congress because he didn't want the Republicans to feel so awfully lonesome by themselves.

"Watch Wadesboro Win," Well, Wadesboro will bear watching so long as such men as Mr. George W. Huntley is not satisfied unless he can get everything he can for Wadesboro.

Pennsylvania and Tennessee have each elected a Democratic blacksmith to Congress. They will both render great assistance in hammering the life out of what little there is left of the Republican party.

Every statesman and every newspaper is giving advice to the Democratic party. The party is going to be a little more particular in the future about accepting all kinds of advice, for it has had to swallow some bitter pills on the advice of some of its fool friends.

Judge Connor's charges to the Federal Court grand juries put him in the light of a man who believes courts are institutions for the administration of justice and not instruments of persecution and double punishment for even the wrongdoers. Mercy evidently is one of Judge Connor's virtues.

Not Sorry for Blunder.

"If my friends hadn't blundered in thinking I was a doomed victim of consumption, I might not be alive now," writes D. T. Sanders, of Harrodsburg, Ky., "but for years they saw every attempt to cure a lung-racking cough fail. At last I tried Dr. King's New Discovery. The effect was wonderful. It soon stopped the cough and I am now in better health than I have had for years. This wonderful life-saver is an unrivaled remedy for coughs, colds, lagrippe, asthma, croup, hemorrhages, whooping cough or weak lungs. 50c $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Robert R. Bellamy.

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CURRENT COMMENT.

J. Armstrong Drexel and that North Carolinian who jumped off a cliff with a pair of eagle's wings broke records at both ends of the tape measure.—Washington Post.

A bust of Senator Ransom is to be unveiled in the State House on January 13. They will make a mighty fuss over a mighty small tribute to one of the State's greatest statesmen. Very small honor has been done the memory of Vance. None at all has been done the memory of Ransom.—Charlotte Chronicle.

"Smogs" is the latest, newest term of derision to be added to the language. It was invented by a doctor of name of Wilder. It is a derivative of "smokers" and "hogs," and is descriptive of hose persons who smoke in the presence of non-smokers. Dr. Wilder does not smoke. Because he doesn't, he thinks that nobody should enjoy a whiff of tobacco while he is around. Now, what kind of an "og" is Dr. Wilder?—Savannah News.

"Col. Roosevelt complacently regards his defeat and the general defeat of the party which he championed in the last election as a sign of progress. Whatever has been challenged in some of his utterances in the recent campaign, few will be disposed to dispute the truth of this assertion. There is progress, but it is almost wholly on the Democratic side, and some of the most conspicuous of the reactionaries have been politically pulverized by its steam roller."—Philadelphia Record.

Richmond is ready as Charleston was and as Norfolk would be to make of President Taft a welcome guest and lavish on him social honors and hospitable care. He will not misinterpret the attentions paid him as involving aught of sympathy or suport for his political policies. McKinley and Roosevelt were greeted throughout the South with similar demonstrations, but the open door and cordial hand of greeting carried with them no surrender of political convictions or party affiliations.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

For a long while, the negro, in his electorial capacity, was busy paying off the debt of gratitude he believed he owed to the Republican party. In point of fact, the obligation was not of a party character. The Emancipation Proclamation was not essentially a party measure; it is a safe statement that it did not represent the preponderance of Republican sentiment at that time. It was the act of one man, and Lincoln wrote the proclamation without even consulting his cabinet. But the historic tradition, though mistaken, was potent. It has lost its power. It began to wane from the time it became apparent that the Republican party was disposed to use the negro merely as a convenient ally in the hour of stress, and to treat him with neglect when the exigency of the moment was over. The negro voter of today is dealing with issues and men on their merits. That explains the capture of four-fifths of the negro vote by the New York state Democracy.—Buffalo Courier.

If it is the big corn crop alone that is bringing down the price of meats, how is it that its influence is felt before it is out of the shock and why have provisions grown steadily higher since 1906, when the corn crop was almost as large as it is this year. The Beef Trust says that abundant corn and high prices for meats have stimulated the growing of live stock. Cheap corn appeared only recently and it takes more than a month to turn into pork or beef. Bumper crops ought to have a depressing effect upon the food market, but as they have not always exerted that influence, it is to be presumed that other causes have been at work. Extortion in food has been coincidental with stand-pattism in politics. It began when the standpatters won their first great victory, it has increased steadily through all the years of the ascendancy, and the turning-point was reached only when they met at the hands of both Democrats and Republicans an overwhelming reverse. The trusts and combines stood pat as long as the people did and no longer.—New York World.

MAXTON NEWS NOTES.

St. Paul's Church—Young Lady's Narrow Escape—Other Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Maxton, N. C., Nov. 26.—The official board of St. Paul's Church, Maxton, are petitioning conference to make this church a station. The to make this church a station. The work has for many years been associated with Caledonia.

Miss Clarkie Bell MacNair came very near being seriously burned last Friday when making candy in a chafing dish. Her dress caught fire, the flames rushed over her body, singeing her hair. Prompt attentance rendered by Mrs. J. B. McCallum smothered the flames and saved sericus injury.

A fair audience was entertained at the McNair Opera Wednesday night by "A Japanese Honeymoon." More could be said in favor of some of the members of the company than for the play. There were some fine singers among them.

Rev. C. H. Durham who began preaching her Sunday night has preached some soul-stirring gospel sermons during the week to large congregations and it is hoped that much good has been accomplished.

Mr. A. J. Garnett, of the Cameron Stove Co., Richmond, Va., is demonstrating the Cameron Steel Range this week, at the hardware store of Mr. J. W. Carter. The coffee and nice eatables that he deals out no doubt makes many wish they had a Cameron Range.

The Ladies' Missionary Societies of St. Paul Methodist Church have been observing the week of prayer this week. The societies have had a very successful year and have much to be thankful for.

Mr. George B. Hall returned Saturday from Virginia where he had been called by the serious sickness of his sister. She is still very sick.

——Misses Olive Glass and Ella Steed spent Thanksgiving with Miss Glass's parents, at Concord, N. C.

The first automobile collision in Maxton occurred last Thursday when the machines of Dr. Kirkpatrick and Dr. Gibson collided. Neither of the parties was injured.

Saves an Iowa Man's Life.

The very grave seemed to yawn before Robert Madsen, of West Burlington, Iowa, when, after seven weeks in the hospital, four of the best physicians gave him up. Then was shown the marvelous curative power of Electric Bitters. For, after eight months of frightful suffering from liver trouble and yellow jaundice, getting no help from other remedies or doctors, five bottles of this matchless medicine completely cured him. It's positively guaranteed for stomach, liver or kidney troubles and never disappoints. Only 50c at Robert R. Bellamy's.

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PROBLEM OF INDIFFERENCE SUBJECT OF STRONG SERMON

First in Series on Practical Christianity Preached by Rev. Wm. H. Milton, D. D., at St. James' Episcopal Church.

SERMON I.

Published by Request of Friends.

Text: "And Gallio cared for none of those things."—Acts XVIII:17.

The scene which the words of our text recall, is laid at Corinth. Thither St. Paul had come from Athens, where alone, all the cities into which he went and preached, he left no church. Eagerness to hear at Athens had proved no guarantee of readiness to accept. The interest of the Athenians whether in a new statute or a oration or new philosophy, was bounded by the novelty of the object of interest. When the novelty waned, thier interest ceased.

In Corinth a differtnt experience awaited St. Paul. Determined opposition or loyal support or absolute indifference was the rule in this city of commercial enterprise and utilitarian standards. St. Paul met with all three. From the start the Jews opposed his mission with bitter hostility; an attitude which was intensified by the winning of converts among the Gentile population, and the establishment of a Christian congregation. For 18 months the Jewish irritation had smouldered, until a new governor came from Rome, and then it found a vent.

This new governor was one of the most popular men of his time, the brother of Senasa, Nero's tutor. His coming was the opportunity the Jews had long hoped for. They naturally fancied that a man of his reputed sweetness and easy-going disposition would wish to win favor with all parties in his new province. And so before him they brought Paul, accusing him of the infidelity under the Jewish law and religion. Their disappointment must have been bitter. For Gallio, silencing the defense of St. Paul, dismissed the case, and bade his lictors clear the court. Whereupon, the rabble, which always gathers around a Court House, seeing a Jew ignominiously ejected, set upon the ruler of the synagogue and beat him at the very door of the judgment hall. "And Gallio cared for none of those things," nought for the vindictive accusation of the Jews, nought for the mission and message of the Christian Apostle, nought for the riotous conduct of the rabble at his doors. They were each and all outside of his jurisdiction, foreign to his interest, undeserving his serious consideration. He was impartial to all because he was interested in none. And so the name of Gallio has become the synonym for religious indifference.

In the scene before us, the majority of the actors were hostile to Christianity, the few were adherents, the exception of both classes was the indifferent man—Gallio. Today the spirit of the times has changed. The greatest problem before the Church, the greatest obstacle to the acceptance of the Gospel, is indifference. As some one put it, "the problem of the day is to make the indifferent different."

The time was, even since the days of St. Paul, when these Jews in their vindicitive hostility to Christianity, were too frequently the types of vengeful hatred which dogged the steps of the Apostles of Christianity: when "a man in mail upon the threshold, with a sword, axe or firebrand," was the symbol of the attitude of the world towards Christianity; that day is past and forgotten, save by students of history, poring over the dusty lore of a long gone age. The time was again, so longer than a hundred years ago, when, as with these Jews before the judgment seat, with their trumped up lies against this first of the Apostles the faith, so, in this later age, a smart and smooth-tongued diplomatist laid wait with his clever denials and half truths, to destroy the world's faith in the integrity and sincerity of the very faith itself; that day too is drawing to its close, save for the few, who find in the ideals of the Christ-life a condemnation of their own faithlessness, and who would see the disproof of the authority of Christianity for the clearing of their own consciences. For today, the Christian religion has won for itself an almost universal respectability. Even when men sneer at the name of the Church, they do so either because of the blindness of their prejudice or because of the contempt in which they hold certain individuals of her membership or certain periods of her history, whose inconsistency with her standards come under the personal observation of such critics; but these same men cheer the name of Christ and rejoice in their inheritance of the fruits and ideals of Christianity. Today, whatever may be the unthinking attitude of the world toward the historic creeds of Christianity, never since the days of His earthly life, has the character of Jesus in the perfect consistency and simple beauty of its holiness, been more cordially acknowledged, nor its influence upon the moral life of the community, whether civil, social or industrial, been more universally admitted.

And yet, in the face of all this, it is not a contradiction but a confirmation of experience, to say, that the greatest obstacle of the progress of Christianity, to the successful conduct of the Church, to the winning of the world for Christ, is the great dead wall of indifference which on all sides meets thost who seek to impress upon men the claims and obligations of the deeper truths and duties of the Christian religion and the Christian Church.

And now, what is the secret of this indifference? How does it happen that along with the tacit acknowledgement of the moral and ethical influences of Christianity, the profound respect for the ideals for which it stands, the frank admission of the debt, which in every sphere of human experience, men owe to Christianity, there is this dead weight of indifference to its claims upon the most serious consideration, the most personal intimacy, the the fullest acceptance on the part of every individual to whom the Gospel comes with its call to consecration and service? How is it that men are willing to enjoy the privileges of religion, and then turn away from its responsibilities?

I think we have the answer in part at least in an analysis of the indifference of the Roman governor, Gallio, towards the unwritten and unofficial, but none the less, binding obligations of the hour, when he turned St. Paul and his message, as well as his accusers from his judgment-seat, and without examination or serious consideration dismissed the whole matter from his mind and and life.

There are four probable causes for Gallio's indifference. The first will form the subject of our consideration this morning. This phase of Gallio's indifference is traceable, I think, to the temperament and training of the men. The "sweet Gallio," his friends hicknamed him; and his brother Seneca said of him that "they loved him with all their love, loved him at best too little." He was an exceedingly popular man then. And such popularity softens men, it weakens the fibres of the will, it indisposes them to face and grapple with the harsher side of life. The children of the Summer and the sunshine, they shun the shadows and the hardships of life's Winters, and dislike to be disturbed in their enjoyment of its warmth and comfart, the petted and coddled children of fortune, they shrivel into mere selfish seekers of their own ease of body and mind, and lose their powers of appreciation of the needs of others, while they grow impatient at last of allusion even to the serious side of life.

We can easily imagine the disgust of the fastidious Gallio, accustomed to the luxuries and refinements of Rome, with its pageants, its pomp, its sensuous delights, set down in the midst of the crudities of a city like Corinth. The heat of an Eastern Summer day oppressed him, the evil odor of the rabble that crowded his judgment hall offended his delicately trained senses, all his surroundings jarred on his sensitive nerves. He was anxious to get rid of the whole matter as soon as possible. And so with a shrug of his shouders and an impatient wave of the hand, he dismissed the case. What, after all, is a Jew beaten more or less to him? What is there to impress him in the worn and insignificant figure of the prisoner before him? What is there to trouble the serenity of his temper and the dignity of his position, in the new creed which he vaguely understands the accused holds? He will not listen long enough to realize that there is more in question than a private quarrel. He will not treat the matter seriously. He has no inclination to pierce beneath the surface of religion. He is tired of new philosophers and their philosophy, and religion has never had sufficient hold upon his life, nor life been so burdened with the problems as to suggest the need of religion.

Is there no suggestion in this hurried sketch of one phase of the character of Gallio, in its careless indifference, of one type of the man of our own day for whom religion has but the barest if any interest? You cannot fail to have met him. The good-hearted, easy-going, pleasant companion, whom every one votes to be a good fellow, and without whose presence in society, life would lose much of is brightness and sweetness. The man or woman who lives on the surface of life, whose interests are all superficial interests, whose views of life are the shallowest of views. The man or woman who fears the depths, or else because of the easier and safer wading in the shallows, never launches out into the deep. Such people are not ncessarily bad. On the contrary they may be pure and honest and kindly, such characters, it may be, as that of the rich young ruler whom Jesus looked upon and loved. But they will not face the serious side

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In Winter Park Gardens.

Residence of Mr. George Sloan—Type of Pretty Homes Being Erected in Attractive Wilmington Suburb.

NEW SOUTHERN INDUSTRIES

Many Important Enterprises Are Announced in Past Week's Issue of Manufacturers' Record—Mill Extensions.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Baltimore, Nov. 24.—Many Southern industrial enterprises were announced during the past week. They included plans of individuals and corporations for the development of mineral and timber resources, for constructing cotton oil mills, foundry and machine plants, woodworikng factories, ice and coal storage plants, cotton mills and other industries.

The Manufacturers' Record of this week reports the essential details, from which have been prepared the following brief but important facts.

Kiefer Coal & Coke Co., Fayetteville, W. Va., was incorporated with a capital stock of $350,000 by Pittsburg capitalists who are not as yet ready to announce particulars of their development plans.

Carolina Ore Co., Winston-Salem, N. C., will build a plant to fuse pyrites cinder into a material for mixing with iron ores for pig iron making; this plant will be operated by electricity and its annual output will be from 30,000 to 40,000 tons.

Lowell Cotton Mills, Lowell, N. C., increased capital stock from $100,000 to $450,000 and proposes to add 10,000 spindles with probably 300 looms.

Chess & Wymond Co., Louisville, Ky., purchased 25,000 acres of timber land near Rayville, La., for $400,000 and will cut the timber for manufacture into staves and headings.

Cedartown Iron Co., Cedartown, Ga., was incorporated by Birmingham capitalists with a capital stoc kof $30,000 to develop iron properties.

Woodside Cotton Mill, Greenville, S. C., increased capital stock from $800,000 to $1,200,000, but has not as yet announced plans for enlarging.

Sisal Hemp & Development Co., Tampa, Fla., was incorporated with a capital stock of $100,000 to cultivate sisal hemp and manufacture hemp products.

Charles Kantorowicz, Little Rock, Ark., plans the organization of a $1,000,000 company to develop the coal, shale, timber, clay and other resources of Round Mountain near Ward, Ark.

Southern Power Co., Charlotte, N. C., contemplates building a 4,000 horse power plant at Great Falls, S. C., to extract nitrates from air.

Creosote Wood Paving Co., New Orleans, La., was incorporated with $50,000 capital stock.

Wulburn Fertilizer Co., Charleston, S. C., will build a plant with an initial annual capacity of from 15,000 to 20,000 tons; this company incorporated recently with a capital stock of $100,000.

Southwest Virginia Fuel Corporation, Big Stone Gap, Va., was incorporated with a capital stock of $600,000.

Glencoe Turpentine Co., Jacksonville, Fla., was incorporated with a capital stock of $50,000.

A. Y. Walton, Jr., and associates, of Hondo, Tex., are planning to construct dams and irrigate 150,000 acres of land.

Simpson-Doeller Company, Baltimore, Md., will build label and printing plant to cost about $150,000; main building to be two stories high, 240 feet, eight inches, by 217 feet four inches, reinforced concrete construction.

Fort Worth Glass Co., Fort Worth, Texas, was incorporated with a capital stock of $100,000.

Oklahoma Cotton Oil Co., Oklahoma City, will build a mill to replace plant recently burned; daily capacity to be 125 tons; buildings of reinforced concrete; buildings and machinery will cost about $125,000.

BAPTIST CHURCH TO CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Baptist Church in Baltimore 125 Years Old—Only Seven Pastors During Long Period—A Sketch.

Baltimore, Nov. 26.—The Baptist Church of this city will on Nov. 27th begin a week's celebration of its 125th anniversary, with some distinguished speaker from the North or the South each night. During the 125 years of its life this church has had only seven pastors, a record that it is thought is hardly equalled by any other church.

This church has followed the policy of supporting its pastors who have to retire on acocunt of age. The first pastor after serving for 33 years, found it necessary because of age and infirmities to resign, and he was voted a life pension of $600 a year, which a hundred years ago was regarded as a fair income. Another pastor who after long service also resigned on account of age, was made Pastor Emeritus at a salary of $1.000 a year for life.

Thougn the organization of this church took place in 1785, it was really the outgrowth of a congregation of Baptists who had been meeting together since 1773, or prior to the Declaration of Independence. Even in 1773 land must have been valuable, for the records show that the congregation paid 150 pounds for a half acre on which to erect its building.

As indicating the discussion that was taking place on the subject of slavery more than 100 years ago, the following paragarph from the annual letter of the church to the State Association, written in 1789, is of interest:

"Brethren:—Contemplating the sufferings and unhappy condition of the negroes who are held in slavery among us, we are induced to recommend their case to your notice and to solicit the influence of your counsels in their behalf. Societies have been formed in this and some of the neighboring States for the protection of those who are unlawfully held in bondage, and we are happy to observe that the Society lately established in this town has been serviceable in the cause of liberty. This matter dwells on our minds with peculiar weight."

The records show that the negro slaves had been received into the church, as was the custom in churches throughout the South, both by letter and by baptism. They also show that subsequent to this the question had been discussed whether slaves were capable of being church members. This was decided in the affirmative. On a number of occasions the records of the church show that the question was discussed whether slaves should be allowed to vote in church business meetings, but they do not indicate what decision was finally reached.

The first pastor of the church occupied the position for 33 years; the next 3 years; the third for 13 years; the fourth for 16 years; the fifth for 43 and the sixth for 15 years, the present insumbent, Rev. O. C. S. Wallace, D. D., having entered upon his pastorate in 1908.

In the 125 years of its history the congregation has had three church edifices, the one now occupied having been built in 1877 at a cost of about $85,000, and enlarged a few years ago at an additional cost of about $65,000.

CAUSE OF HOOKWORM DISEASE

Is the Direct Result of Soil Pollution—Disease No Respecter of Persons, Attacking Both Well-to-do and Poor.

(By C. F. Strosnider, M. D.)

Uncinlariasis or hookworm disease, also spoken of as brick-maker's anaemia, malaria, anaemia, negro consumption and dirt-eating anaemia, etc.

Geographical Distribution.— This disease encircles the earth, but in North America the enedemic infection does not go north of the Potomac river or west of the Ohio river, owing to the climatic conditons, that is, the Winter season is too long and severe in its nature. Warmth, moisture, oxygen and infected individuals being necessary for its prevalence. Hence our Southland has all the required factors; that is, warmth most of the year, moisture from the frequent heavy dews and rainfall, and numerous infected individuals.

Soil Pollution.—Soil pollution is the cause of many diseases in addition to the diseases in question; namely, typhoid fever, diphtheria, tuberculosis, dysentery and cholera, as well as furnishing the principal source for the propagation of the

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COLUMBIA, S. C., EXECUTIVE TALKS OF GOVERNMENT

Commission Plan Heartily Recommended by One Who Has Had Opportunity to Judge of its Application to Smaller City—An Interesting Address.

In view of the recent very earnest consideration given to the commission plan of city government in this city, it is of interest to know that both Asheville and Greensboro, in this State, are moving along this direction. Recently those behind the movement in Asheville invited Mayor Gibbes, of Columbia, S. C., where the new form of government was recently instituted, to visit that city and address a mass meeting of the people. The Asheville Citizen thus gives an account of the meeting:

The keen interest taken in the welfare of Asheville by its citizens was attested last night when the court house was well filled by a representative audience to hear Mayor W. H. Gibbes of Columbia, S. C., speak upon the advantages of a commission form of municipal government. That the subject upon which he spoke is one which has occupied the thoughts of many citizens was further shown at the conclusion of the address when resolutions were adopted by a unanimous vote providing for the first steps toward obtaining for Asheville this form of government. These resolutions, introduced by Mr. W. B. Williamson, cashier of the Wachovia Loan & Trust Company, follow:

"1. Resolved, That the mayor, the president of the board of trade, the president of the Retail Merchants' Association and the secretary of the central labor union be appointed a committee of four to name a committee of one hundred to consider the advisability of a change in our present city charter; that the mayor, the members of the board of aldermen and the city attorney be included in the one hundred.

"2. That in case the said committee of one hundred, after due consideration shall deem it advisable and for the best interests of the city that the present city charter be altered, amended or substituted by another charter, that it shall then be the duty of the said one hundred to draft and recommend to a subsequent mass meeting such form of charter as it shall deem for the interest of the city. The mass meeting to which said committee is to report shall be called by the chairman of the committee of one hundred.

"3. When any amended, altered or substituted charter is ratified, if such be the case, by a subsequent mass meeting, then the same shall be sent to the Buncombe county members of the Legislature with the request that they secure the passage of a bill allowing the voters of Asheville to vote on said amended, altered or substituted charter."

Brief Sketch of Origin.

The address of the city's guest last night was listened to with close attention by the large audience gathered. It was a straightforward presentation of the facts in connection with the plan which is being adopted by so many cities all over the country. Mr. Gibbes pointed out the fact that Asheville has already to a small extent adopted some of the principles of the commission plan by electing two members of the board of aldermen at large, and paying a salary to all the members of the board.

In the beginning the speaker briefly sketched the old form of city government by wards, showing that under that system there has grown into the lives of American cities, corruption and frauds, because the "pulls" are usually for men instead of for measures, and rewards for the wicked and not for virtue and her supporters. Local affairs under this system take prestige over the general good.

Washington, D. C., was shown to have been the pioneer among the cities of this country in the adoption of the commission form, this plan having been commenced with the founding of the city. In the years which followed changes to the usual method were made until following the Civil War the commission plan was again inaugurated to be continued until the present time. In that city the plan has been a conspicuous success.

But in spite of the example offered to other cities by their capital of the Nation, flood and destruction were necessary to call it into use elsewhere. Galveston, broken in spirit and near bankrupt, turned to this plan to save its life after the awful catastrophe which swept it. Following the adoption of a commission by Galveston in 1901, and the eminent success which the plan attained in that city, other cities over the country began to take stock of their ills, and to look about for a cure. The result was the adoption of the same plan in all essentials, only such modifications being made as local conditions might necessitate, until now nearly seventy-five prominent cities of America are governed by a commission, and in every single instance the change has been a success.

Improvements Supported.

Now, as I understand it, you want me to give you a somewhat detailed description of the commission plan, its theories and its application. In doing so, as I go along, I shall endeavor to indicate improvements to you which you might well make on the Columbia charter, unless my judgment be very much at fault. It seems to me that all the charters passed thus far are defective in some particular. In ours the provision of the original election upon the question of the form of government is that twenty-five per cent. of the number of voters in the last preceding city election showing the residence and occupation of each petitioner, must first sign a petition asking that the question be submitted to the people.

"Then the question is decided by the qualified registered electors of

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PROBLEM OF INDIFFERENCE SUBJECT OF SERMON

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of life. They shrink from the pain and stress of using the wrestling thews of heart and brain. They dismiss every question which has to do with the great solemn realities of human existence and human destiny with a laugh or a shrug of the shoulders, and gently lead you to talk of other matters more within the sphere of their interest. They have no thirst for, nor will they get down to the great fountain springs of truth; they dislike any view of life which makes it a workshop of toilsome duty or a battlefield of stern principles. They do not oppose religion, but neither do they feel the need of it. And they will not disturb themselves with the sad problems and tragedies of existence, of sin, of salvation, of suffering, or of any of those hard questions which cluster around the cross of Jesus Christ; so long as it is possible to avoid them. This temper is especially characteristic of youth. But we find it also generally prevalent in our own day. And it is bad, altogether bad, and hurtful, whether it manifest itself in the attitude that men take towards business or politics, art or literature, religion or the Church. To be a mere dabbler in politics, without ever getting down or trying to get down to the vital principles that underly all government, is to be the victim of every demagogue or partisan who by his clever concealment of the true issues at stake and his attractive presentation of the selfish advantages accruing by an endorsement of his clique or party, charms the superficial listener into helpless acquiescence with his views. To have no deeper interest in business than the wealth or competence which is the immediate result of labor, without ever understanding the economic principles that make for the success or failure of business; never to know anything about the fundamental rights and duties of the classes that unite to do business or the causes that lie back of their existence, is to be a mere sordid money-getter and ignorant bread-winner, and to have no part in the effort which should engage the interest of every member of society, to make the business life a sphere for the cultivation and preservation of the happiness and peace and righteousness of human society. And to be a mere dilletanti in art and literature, to read only for entertainment, to experience only a pleasurable sensation in art, is to miss the true aim of both, and to fail of the true culture, the deepening knowledge, the added breadth, the higher wisdom, which only the serious student ever attains.

But such an attitude of careless indifference towards religion and the Church with their claims upon the best that heart and mind and soul have to offer, is worse still. It is the general impression, and if it be true it must distress all earnest people, that the young man of the day, whatever may be his attitude towards religion in the broadest sense, is indifferent toward the Church. The reason for it has been asked and answered by many. Once at least an answer was given by a large number of the young men of this country themselves. The answer of the majority was in substance, "that the pulpit did not give them anything to think about." But, even if this be true, if they understand the function of the Church, they must understand that the larger expression of that function today, is its worship, the cleansing and elevating of the heart and conscience, the deepening and enriching of the soul's life by its participation in prayer and praise and sacrament, the keeping of life's paths straight by the rule and plummet of God's Word as read for a constant reminder through the week, on the one day when the supreme duty is presence in the Lord's House of Worship. And if the pulpit fails to give the eager and inquiring mind of the young man aught to think about he is not hindered in his quest, he will not be discouraged even if the pulpit be barren of sugestion. But whether the pulpit fail to yield what is sought or not, it is the misfortune of the pulpit not the fault of the Church. The chief effort of the Church is to get men to think. To get them to stop long enough in the hurry of their secular affairs to think of the things that pertain to their deeper spiritual needs. The cry of Isaiah has ever been the cry of the prophet or preacher: "Israel doth not know, my people doth not consider!" A great many men do get the idea that they are forbidden to search deeply into the verities of religion, they think that what is required of them is to take religion on faith, which to them means to accept what is seemingly contradictory to their reason and experience without question and without thought. The truth is just the opposite of this idea. No man can have faith which will stand by him in the storms of doubt and trouble and disappointment without questioning and investigating and weighing the evidences. What he is not wanted to do, however, is either to accept or reject the Gospel with a mere superficial glance at its evidences and claims. And this is what the average young man wants to do, if he does anything. He doesn't want to think. He springs his doubts with a glib tongue, and will not wait or listen long enough to get a sensible answer to them. He will tell you, as if it were a sufficient reason for his indifference to the claims of the religious life, that he had so much religious teaching and Church attendance in his childhood, that it destroyed all interest in that sort of thing since he became a man; but he does not explain to you how it is that while the good habits of his youth have lost their hold on him because they were enforced, the habits which are damaging to his character which he has cultivated himself have grown with his growth and strengthened with his strength. The truth is, that consciously or unconsciously, he is not telling the truth. The truth is that like Gallio, he cares for none of those things. Gallio was not indifferent to the message of St. Paul because he believed St. Paul to have nothing worthy of his intellectual or spiritual digestion; but because he had no interest in religion, the religion that St. Paul presented at any rate, no matter what it might be. The man of the day, of the temperament represented by Gallio, is indifferent to religion, not because it presents no food for thought, nor even because the pulpit is weak or empty in its appeals, but because he is interested in other things, the things for the most part that lie on the surface of life, that make for ease and comfort and pleasure and entertainment; and wants to keep as far as possible in thought and service from the people and things that reason of righteousness and temperance and judgment to come, and the deep things of God and life.

And yet, my friends, if the fear that is back of such indifference to religion in its higher and deeper claims upon the minds and souls of men, is that religion will take away some of the sweetness and zest of life's joys, and change lightheartedness and carefreeness into a dimal and dreary solemnity, you must see how baseless such a fear is. The waves of the sea that surge and foam on its surface, are not less because of the deeps beneath. They are as the towering mountains by the side of the foothills when compared with the wavelets that dance and ripple on the inlets and bays along the shallow coastline. And so the joy and zest of earnest study and growing knowledge and deepening appreciation of art and literature, the strengthening grasp upon the great principles of government and business which are the ever-increasing reward of the serious student, are boundless in comparison with the passing pleasures of the life that has no deep resources to draw from. "Godliness is profitable for the life which now is as well as for that which is to come." Religion does not impoverish life of its joys, it deepens and enriches and adds to them. Because man was made for religion, and his life is impoverished without it. When Jesus gave as the greatest commandment, "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart and with all thy soul and with all thy mind," He was not laying on the shoulders of men a heavier burden to make life sadder and harder than it already was, a sort of supreme test of the endurance of the human heart and soul and mind. He was opening up the secret of true happiness, aye, more than that, He was revealing the very law of life itself. The only thing a man can never reconcile himself to the loss of, is the sense of the presence of God in his life. And the secret cause of ennui in pleasure, or discontent with wealth, of restlessness of learning, the sense of want, when every sense and faculty is filled to repletion, what is it? But that the man or men have neglected the one thing needful, they have left God out of their lives, they have tried to feed on the husks, they have been indifferent to the claims, and therefore have missed the satisfaction of religion.

Oh, my friends, if you have tried to be religious, if you have tried to keep your life open to its claims and have found religion a burden instead of a lifting of burdens, what you need is not to cultivate a studied indifference to religion, but to be more religious. If your faith is beclouded with doubt, what you need is not to cast the faith which you have left away as unworthy your intelligence, but to go deeper into the study of all truth, that you may find your faith again, richer and fuller and purer, purified though as by fire. If self sacrifice exhausts and embitters you, the refuge is not in self-indulgence, but in more self sacrifice. If the little amateur work which you do for your Master, done in the leisure moments, after your work for yourself is done, is unsatisfactory, what you need is a brave giving of your whole life to Him, and the doing of everything for His blessed sake. If the little truth which you know, frets and distresses you, then seek until you find the fullest truth which your soul can encompass!

Let us not always say
"Spite of this flesh today
I strove, made head, gained ground upon the whole!"
As the bird wings and sings,
Let us cry "All good things
Are ours, nor soul helps flesh more, now than flesh helps soul.
Then welcome each rebuff
That turns earth's smoothness rough,
Each sting that bids nor sit nor stand, but go!
Be our joys three parts pain!
Strive, and hold cheap the strain;
Learn, nor account the pang; dare, never grudge the throe!

CAUSE OF HOOKWORM DISEASE

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common house fly. When we speak of "soil pollution" we mean that the ground has been made unclean by throwing disease germs from a sick person on the ground or allowing refuse vegetable matter to decay promiscously about our homes. Especially is this true of our back yards or lots, where fruit peelings, or vegetable scraps, together with the water in which such fruits or vegetables have been washed, are disposed of by dashing them on the ground only a short distance from the dining or living rooms, thereby inviting the germs of the above mentioned diseases, as well as many others, to come and greatly increase in numbers. At the same time you give the common house fly an invitation to visit your yard and multiply, which they do as follows: One fly lays 150 eggs about twelve times during the Sumer season, which eggs hatch and the flies are full grown in ten days (1,800 flies propagated from one female fly in one season.)

And yet we are at a loss to know why our homes are surrounded with odors or why "the flies are so numerous."

Hence, you see that disease producing germs and flies are propagated from one common source, "filth" and you can readily understand when you know that flies never wash their feet except it be to their advantage and our disadvantage.

Cleanliness is the greatest enemy to disease, therefore, see that your yards are kept clean, your outbuildings free from flies, and that your cow, horse and hog stalls are frequently cleaned, and the cleanings either hauled away immediately or thrown into a fly-prof structure.

The Parasites.—The adult hookworm is about one-half an inch in length and the size of a No. 8 thread. Its color is brownish white. It has four sharp lips which it clamps into the inner lining of our bowel, and a hollow tooth through which it absorbs blood from our system, and at the same time injects into our system a poison which is secreted from the glands of its head.

These parasites do not multiply within our bowel, but they lay many thousands of eggs which escape with the digestive excreta.

Source of Infection—The eggs develop into small parasites, which cannot be seen by the unaided eye, within 24 hours and at the end of from five to nine days these tiny worms are ready to enter a human being. The most common method of infection is through the skin, an individual going barefooted, regularly or irregularly, is the one most commonly infected. These tiny parasites are very active after rains or heavy dews, and therefore children wading in water or dew where the soil is polluted with this disease complain of an intense itching or burning afterwards ;then a blister followed by a sore which usually occurs on the bottom or top of foot or about the toes. Ground-itch, foot-itch, or dew poison is the first symptom or sign of this disease. Not every case of ground-itch is a hookworm subject.

A second method of infection is by eating fruit unpared which has fallen on hookworm polluted soil, strawberries, celery, radishes, or lettuce which has been grown on soil as above mentioned, and eaten uncooked.

Frequency.—Hookworm disease is a malady the spread of which is inconsistent with the using of a proper sewerage system or sanitary privy, prolonged cold weather or dry conditions. It is more common in rural districts than in cities for the reason that the country people's occupations bring them into direct contact with the damp earth. It is seldom found in those of any section who have worn shoes all their life.

Age.—This disease is no respector of ages other than children suffer most from the disease, the height of the infection being at the time when a person begins to wear shoes regularly, which is about the age of from ten to fourteen years.

Season.—Infection usually takes place in the warm and moist season of the year.

Classes.—Hookworm disease is more severe among those who live under poor hygienic and sanitary conditions. This disease is no respector of persons; it will attack the well-to-do as readily as the poor.

BOYS BURNED TO DEATH.

While Searching for Sister During Fire at Norton, Va.

Norton, Va., Nov. 25.—While searching through the flames for their little sister whom they believed to be in their burning home, two little sons of J. H. Robins met death today. When found by relatives the boys were so severely burned that death quickly resulted. The sister was saved. The fire was due to an explosion of powder.

Laredo, Texas, Nov. 25.—There will be no bull fights or other entertainments at Nuevo Laredo for a month or more. The fair which was scheduled to open there on November 27th has been abandoned upon orders from the government. The situation today along he Mexican border adjacent to Laredo is quiet.

Winona, Minn., Nov. 25.—The next annual convention of the department of superintendents of the National Educational Association will meet in Mobile, Ala., on February 23, 24 and 25, 1911. In making this announcement today Secretary Shephard said it will be possible for members to take advantage of the favorable rates which have been granted for the Mardi Gras season.

Natchitoches, La., Nov. 25.—Out of an assortment of freight, burglars removed a case of whiskey and a box of Bibles from the Texas & Pacific Railroad depot here last night. The packages were broken open, evidences showed, after the outside of the building had been reached. The Bibles were found by a night watchman.

Cuero, Texas, Nov. 25.—J. T. Wofford, grand chancellor of the Knights of Pythias for Texas, died here last night. He is survived by a widow and 11 children. He was one of the best known fraternity men in the South.

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NOTICE OF SALE.

In pursuance of a deed of trust executed September 12th, 1910, by the National Stamp Veding Machine Company, a corporation organized under the laws of North Carolina, to Frank W. Jones, Trustee, said deed of trust being registered in the office of the Register of Deeds, of New Hanover County, North Carolina, in Book 61, Page 395, whereby it was specified that in case of the default in the payment of certain debts due, jointly and severally, to J. W. Murchison, of Wilmington, N. C., and J. R. Williams, of New York City; the said Trustee would, upon proper notice, be authorized to sell at public auction, the following personal property, belonging to said corporation to wit:—

Stamp Vending Machines	546
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Envelope Machines	1
Electro Bending Machine	1
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Patterns, drawings, jigs, etc., used in building the Vending, Loading and Envelope machines enumerated above, belonging to said corporation and now in the shops of the Briggs-Shaffner Co., Winston-Salem, N. C.

Also various and sundry U. S. patents, issued, allowed or now pending in the U. S. Patent office, covering the various machines enumerated above.

I Frank W. Jones, trustee, will on the 8th of December, 1910, offer for sale for cash to the highest bidder, at the Court House door, New Hanover Count, North Carolina, at 12 o'clock, noon, all the above described property, reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

This 14th day of November, 1910.

FRANK W. JONES,
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BIDS WANTED.

The County Commissioners of New Hanover county will receive bids until Monday, Dec. 5, 1910, for feeding, clothing, (including shoes and hats) prisoners at quarry and on county roads furnishing such food as required by the commissioners.

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Ar Goldsboro	N. S. RR.	6 30am	
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AMUSEMENTS

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Only one attraction will be offered by the Academy this week, but that will be quite sufficent, as it will be the biggest and most gorgeous theatrical event in the history of Wilmington. It will be a colossal presentation of "The Midnight Sons" by the same Lew Fields' company that presented it for 36 solid weeks at the same Broadway Theatre, New York city. The mammoth organization is traveling only on special trains, and will pull into Wilmington Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from Charlotte.

Then will come the work of transporting tons of scenery and mechanical effects, to say nothing of hundreds of trunks containing rich gowns and costume regalia to the Academy.

A "clear stage" has been ordered by the company's management and to-morrow Mr. Schloss will have his stage crew strip the Academy stage of everything, so as to allow the company to set-up its magnific nt scenery.

One of the company's stage carpenters and an electrician will reach Wilmington Wednesday, so as to see that everything is in readiness for the production, and to see if the stage is secure for holding the mammoth s age pieces that make up a regular theatre in itself. In this scene the interior of a theatre is presented, stage, auditorium and all. Hundreds of people are in the audience (on the stage) in regular boxes and in parquet, balcony and gallery seats and a special vaudeville company presents a program for their benefit.

The regular audi nce doesn't count, save to behold what is going on. It is indeed a wonderful scene. It is expected that the sale of seats for "The Midnight Sons" will be tremendous. Already many mail orders have been received, as the attraction appeals strongly to people in the country and offers them a rare opportunity to see a big city show.

The sale of seats will commence Wednesday morning at Plummer's

Next week the Academy is to offer a popular price musical attraction in "The Runaways", an organization which has been pronounced splendid. It will open its engagement Monday night Dec. 5th. and will run for three nights, with a Wednesday matinee. The opening bill will be the merry Oriental musical jingle, "A Japanese Honeymoon", and will be followed by other merry offerings. The "Honeymoon" is said to be a most delightful creation and "The Runaways" are said to give an excellent performance of it.

Lew Fields Will Patent Big Show.

Is it possible to patent an audience sitting in a theatre?

This is the question which Lew Fields, producer of "The Midnight Sons" would like to have answered. Mr. Fields believes in copyrighting or patenting every idea or effect which he uses in his various shows. Bitter experience has taught him the wisdom of such procedure.

While "The Midnight Sons" was playing at the Broadway theatre, Mr. Fields took the pains to teach a number of "broilers" the art of playing bagpipes. The young women became very proficient—so proficient in fact that another management made overtures to them, with the result that Mr. Fields had trouble of teaching an entirely new "class."

It is for this reason that he wants to patent the biggest effect in "The Midnight Sons." And he believes it can be done. Every night the real audience sees another audience occupying seats in a minature theatre on the stage. There is a real theatre with orchestra seats, tiers of boxes, a balcony and a gallery. The playhouse differs in little respect from a real opera house. In fact, so perfectly is it constructed that it might (the press agent says) bear inspection at the hands of the fire department.

Utilizing a theatre scene as a part of a stage performance, Mr. Fields thinks, establishes sufficient grounds for him to apply to the Patent Office for a copyright seal. The whole scene is worked up to such a point that the paid audience imagines it is merely glancing at its counterpart reflected upon the stage.

Mr. Fields is having blue prints made of the scene and these, with a minute description of the theatre and its "super" audience of 250 persons, will be forwarded to the Patent Office in Washington, "If", says Mr. Fields, "the scene itself cannot be patented, I believe the idea can be copyrighted.

"For instance, there is another effect in "The Midnight Sons" which is rigidly protected by patent. It is the picture of a Pullman train in motion, with a bridal party occupying the vestibule. The inventor if this effect had no trouble in persuading Uncle Sam that the idea was original and unique, and of such a nature that duplication of it would injure him. I maintain the same thing about the theatre scene. The chief thing in my favor is that the scene is so enormous few managers would attempt to 'steal it.' However, I shall feel safer with it patented."

THE FUNNY SHOE STORE SCENE IN THE MID-NIGHT SONS, ACADEMY O FMUSIC, THURSDAY, DE CEMBER 1.

WHEN THE GROUND BURNS.

Exciting Race With Winter Won by Red Cross Society.

One of the strangest facts observed in the forest fires which occasionany sweep over the woods of Northern Michigan and Minnesota is the burning of the ground. Falling leaves, bark and twigs and dying plant life gradually accumulate in the forests. The rains and dense shade keep the mass damp. Mosses grow on the surface of the decaying vegetation. The half-rotted stuff settles down and hardens. Trees spring up and their roots take hold in the peaty substance.

Then comes a season of drought, and the dampness slowly evaporates. A hunter or woodman or farmer builds a fire, or a railway engine drops a spark. The dry surface of the ground is ignited and a slow cancer of fire eats deep among the roots of the trees, smouldering for weeks or months. Then one day a strong wind springs up. The trees, undermined by the fire, topple over, their roots throwing out showers of sparks and burning masses of tinder-like material. Flames burst out in every direction, and, like a flash, a forest fire is in full sweep.

The forest fire which occurred in Northern Minnesota a few weeks ago broke out in many places at once, because many of these smouldering fires were simply awaiting the gale which sprang up on October 7th. In this fire about 1,600 square miles of country were burned. The thriving villages of Beaudette, with a population of 1,200, and Spooner, with 850, were swept out of existence in an hour. Hundreds of "homesteaders," carving their farms out of the forests, lost their homes and saved their lives by lowering themselves into wells, or plunging into streams or ponds. Thirty lives were lost, and 3,000 persons were left homeless, with food, live stock, farm crops and machinery all gone.

When the agents of the American Red Cross reached the burned district they realized that Winter was at hand in this north country and that their greatest task was the swift construction of a large number of shelters. It was a big job, and it had to be quickly done. Here is the manner in which the Red Cross met the emergency:

Two simple designs for houses were prepared, of one and two rooms, respectively. These required only a few standard sizes of lumber, and tar paper took the place of shingles and plaster. Lumber was rushed in from Canada, the Secretary of the Treasury at Washington having waived the customs duty on supplies required by the Red Cross. A half dozen carpenters were hurried to the scene. Then "building bees" were organized, with one carpenter in command of each. A half dozen neighbors, with saw and hammer, would help Olson, build his house. Then all, including Olson, would move along and build Hans Hanson's house, and so on. The speed with which these houses were erected, where several "bees" were "humming" at the same time, was startling. While this was going on the Red Cross was hurrying into the fire district from Duluth and St. Paul and Minneapolis big orders of doors, windows, stoves, bedding, chairs, kitchen utensils and provisions. As rapidly as the little houses were ready they were furnished and stocked up with food and the families moved in.

It was a desperate race with Winter, and the Red Cross won. While the race was at its swiftest there was not a busier spot between the oceans than this black and desolate stretch of country along the northernmost rim of Minnesota. Much remains to be done, but nobody is going to freeze or starve.

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COLUMBIA, S. C., EXECUTIVE TALKS ON GOVERNMENT

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the city, which means that only those may vote who have lived in the State two years, in the county one year, and in the precinct five months before the date of said election, and that they must show receipts in full for all capitation or property taxes then past due. In case the question carries in favor of the commission form of government, then the same qualification will apply to primary and municipal elections held thereunder. This qualification might reasonably be qualified as to primaries so as to require prepayment of only capitation or similar taxes, as the payment of the property tax is secured by the property itself, and the mere fact of a man's being temporarily out of funds with which to meet an obligation he cannot avoid should not disfranchise him. It is a different matter with those who try to dodge poll taxes and general elections and then try to direct the primaries.

Must Look to Economy.

The charter must provide for the number of commissioners and the manner of their election.

As to the number, it seems clear to me that a city should have only as many as she can pay such a salary as will warrant her claiming their entire business talent and attention. In some cases this may be three and in others it may be five.

In the case of Columbia, a mayor and four councilmen are provided for in the original election. From the beginning the mayor holds office for four years.

The terms of office of the four councilmen are determined by lot, two of them drawing four year terms and the others two year terms.

This seems to me to be a weak provision as it seems manifest that those receiving the highest votes cast in the election should have the longest terms as they certainly represent a larger constituency.

In our first election we reached the man who was chosen in the first election to draw a two year term.

Making Nominations.

The Columbia charter, since it is made for a Southern city with only one party, provides for separate party primaries. In the first primaries the condidates receiving the maojrity votes are nominated. If a second primary be necessary, those receiving plurality votes are elected, since nomination is equivalent to election.

In my opinion, it would be a great improvement to adopt the preferential plan, which would decide the entire nomination in one primary. In this form of election each voter names his first, second and third choice for each position. A candidate receiving a majority of first choice ballots is manifestly elected. If necessary, the second choice ballots are also counted, and then the third.

Where there are two or more strong political parties as is the case in Asheville, the non-partisan primary is usually adopted so as to eliminate politics entirely from civic affairs and leave the voters free to select men entirely upon their merits and qualifications in the business interests of the city.

The commission cities that are most successful have eliminated politics from city affairs while still holding fast to political alignment in affairs of State and Nation.

The time will come when other States will follow Oregon in adopting commission features in State politics, and giving the people the right to exercise the initiative, the referendum and recall there also.

It seems to me to be rather a weak point in the Columbia plan that council itself may fill a vacancy for the unexpired term. Thus they might elect an officer to serve for more than three years. The man having received the highest vote should be advanced to the longest vacancy, and an election by the people should be held for the short term remainder. This would make for a more stable council and such settlement would be a just one.

In all commission governments there are stringent regulations as to elections, electioneering, expenses, etc., and they cannot be made too stringent.

Now the Columbia plan of four year terms with alternate biennial elections of two councilmen seems to me the best provision of the kind that I have seen. Some Western cities have two year terms with complete new elections and it was easy for the stranger in their midst to see the political "nigger" in the wood pile. Yet despite this laxity, their commission governments are working out splendid fiscal and physical reforms.

In our plan the mayor and four commissioners constitute the city council, three of them being a quorum, but the affirmative votes of three members are always necessary to pass any motion or measure.

Every man must vote in the open, the yeas and nays being recorded on every ballot except on a motion to adjourn. The mayor has no power of veto.

This council has complete jurisdiction in all legislative, executive and judicial matters except a few which are expressly reserved for a direct vote of the people, and the mayor and councilmen are the only officers with a specific tenure. Thus the merit system prevails as to minor city officials, but no derelict or shirker can feel sure of his place for a week or a day.

Mayor Assigns Duties.

The Columbia charter differs from others in that the mayor makes the original assignments of departments among the members, and, of course, he should do it according to the capacity, and fitness and aptitude of the different members, provided such members have such qualities. To some extent this prevents misfits and guards against incapacity.

Each man is primarily responsible for his department, and it seems very hard during the first year for the people to realize this. They seem to think they should carry every grievance to the mayor and to forget that they should approach him personally only about matters of his own department.

Our charter provides that every franchise or grant for interurban or street railways, waterworks, gas or electric light or power plants, heating plants, telegraph and telephone systems or other public service utilities within said city must be authorized or approved by a maojrity of the electors voting thereon at an election which shall be ordered by the council.

It is hard to see how a corrupting corporation could buy its way into a city thus guarded, and further no councilman is permitted to receive any favors or passes from any public service corporation doing business in the city.

Then the public is still further safeguarded by the initiative, the referendum and recall. To those who do not understand, these functions are best defined by illustration.

Citizen Yellow, of Columbia, for instance, may desire to have legislation enacted which he cannot get council to consider. He then makes an appeal to the people, and if he can secure the signatures of twenty-per cent. of those who voted in the last election to a petition praying for the submission of the matter to the people, then council must so submit it or pass it, or in the event of its failure to do either, the legislation asked for becomes a valid ordinance of the city automatically upon the initiative of the people as represented by the petitioners.

Again, Citizen Blue may desire to kill an ordinance which has been passed by council. Upon his securing the signatures of one-fifth of the electors as above, the council must suspend the operation of the objectionable ordinance until it can be passed upon at a special election which must be ordered to decide the matter. In this referendum a majority vote in favor of the ordinance is required in order to restore its validity.

Once more, Citizen Green may desire the removal of the mayor or a councilman, or of the entire council, and may effect his purpose as follows:

Upon his securing a petition signed by one-fifth of the electors of the previous election, and stating the grounds for their demand, a special election must be ordered by the governor to fill the office or offices in question. At this election the name of the incumbent is placed upon the ticket along with the name or names of other candidates, and the incumbent cannot be removed until a majority vote is received by some other person.

If there be no choice at the first election, he runs in a second against the person receiving the highest number of votes against him, and then the matter is decided by a majority vote in the second election.

This seems to me to give the officer an undue advantage, for if two opponents receive higher votes than himself at first, it seems to me he should be eliminated, and the race should be between the two leaders This is the recall.

There is no doubt that these three powers of the people, the initiative, the referendum and the recall, have a most salutary effect upon the members of council and tend to make them stop and think before casting their votes as to how they will be able to justify them.

Just why one-fifth of the electorate seems to have been empirically selected as the proper number to sign the petitions for the recall, referendum and initiative I do not know. It may be that it is calculated that that is about the average proportion which is willing to fight in the open, or it may be that it is presumed that, if that number can be secured as a starter, others are likely to join in later.

Civil Service Board.

The Columbia charter provides for the appointment by council of a non-partisan civil service commission of three and requires that all members of the police and fire department must be elected from those who successfully pass their examinations. Such employes may not be finally dismissed except on approval of a majority of the civil service commission. Council may add other employes to the civil service list and in Columbia we have recently placed employes of the health department upon it. The civil service department is a strong safeguard of stable and efficient service to the public.

The board of election commissioners is another safeguard to the commission form of government, and under it, with the provisions as to its appointment and duties, the people are sure of fair elections, and an honest count.

Now it does not seem to me that you can be greatly interested as yet in what we have done in Columbia, for we have just begun. We did not inherit a corrupt government, but assuredly we did inherit one that was living far beyond its means and not showing much for the money spent.

Our form of government was changed by a popular vote of nineteen to one.

Get your new government in office at the beginning of the fiscal year.

When a large deficit was turned over to us on our accession in the middle of the year we were upon both horns of a dilemma.

Had we spent money and increased the deficit the outs would have said that we were recklessly running the city into debt; since we adopted the sound business plan of financial retrenchment and recuperation before beginning a well considered programme of improvement, those same soreheads are criticising us for not spending the very money they failed to turn over to us.

We are getting too thick-skinned to mind the monthly carpings of the mentally weak or the morally wicked. These mud-slingers you find everywhere, but they do not count. They even criticize us for trying to cure our criminal drunkards, who have been lying in jail and consuming our means, giving no return except trouble and expense to our police and courts again and again as fast as they are released.

Cure of Inebriates.

It was the study of this hard civic problem that brought me to the advice of a high minded Virginia gentleman to try a medical cure upon them so as to release them free from the craving for drink, and fit to stand on their feet and fight the battle of life for home and country and loved ones. In this way did we establish the first city ward for the treatment of criminal inebriates in America in Columbia. The results are justifying our judgment and exceeding our hopes.

I have seen the tears of a mother when pleading for the treatment of her son, and again I have seen her tears of happiness when he has been restored and cured to her.

O! these women. If our men would help them to train the boys in purity as they train the girls how simple would be the solution of our terrible social problems of drunkenness and licentiousness!

These experiments have convinced me that drunkenness is a disease and susceptible of medical cure. Also, they have convinced me that the disease has often been contracted by administering whiskey and drugs as medicine at first with the growth of habit as a consequence.

At first in Columbia we used a proprietary cure entirely, and it was kindly given to us for a while by its owner. Now the question of price is coming in, and lately we have used a private prescription with equally good results and equally simple to administer. I am negotiating for still another which can be taken while the patient is pursuing his ordinary vocations. If it proves effective what a problem will be solved! A few dollars will supply the treatment where more than a hundred must be paid now.

Men can be cured without the degradation of jail, for in Columbia many have made themselves amenable to law and for the purpose of becoming eligible to be cured.

The city of Columbia, of course, cannot go into the business of furnishing cures to outsiders, but, when adopted, these formulas will be given free to her and will be known as the "Columbia Pioneer Cure for Inebriates," and a way will be found to place them within easy reach of outside patients and other governments.

There is not much more for me to say. What I have tried to place before you, the study of commission government has placed before me.

It has inspired me with a desire and a purpose to be of use in building up my people and my city, and of helping my fellow men that need such help as I can give. If it can do that for me, it can do as much for others, and if the others will all get together we cannot fail.

That such a result may be reached by Asheville as well as by Columbia is my deep and heartfelt desire.

Let us all join hands and help each other climb the hil to view the sunrise.

RACING IN GEORGIA.

In the Country of "How Fast Will It Go."—Meets.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 26.—Michigan may make the most motor cars; New York may buy the most; but Georgia claims the distinction of being the sportiest State of all, when it comes to racing them. Through November the "Cracker State" has occupied the center of motordom's stage just on account of this proclivity.

It is a common saying in Atlanta that a first-class race meeting can be organized there on a day's notice. The first question any Georgian asks, when in the market for a car is not "How long will it last?" or "What does it cost?" He wants to know "How fast will it go?" And nothing so delights him as to succeed in a trial of speed in which his opponent hails from some Northern State.

Its remarkable success on road and track is very largely credited with the fact that there are now more than 500 E. M. F. "30" cars in Georgia. One of these recently gave to the world a new star race-pilot, and in conditions probably unique.

Frank A. Witt has won a number of minor events on the Georgia tracks and had materially assisted Harry Cohen in the latter's famous campaigns with old "Bullet," the 60,000-mile car owned by the E. M. F. Atlanta Company. Along in October Witt heard of the coterie of Northern racing teams entered at the Atlanta Speedway meeting and coming, some of them, with the expressed intention of getting "Old Bullet's goat."

"Those no'thun boys must think this meet is goin' to give anothuh oppo'tunity to mahch through Gawgia," quoth Witt and proceeded to lay his plans to the contrary.

Witt secured a new 1911 model car from the E. M. F. factory and tuned it up. When the "No'thun boys" arrived he repelled the invasion personally.

There were two events for the 160-230 cubic inch displacement class, Witt won them both, setting a class record in the first and a speedway record for the class in the second. He was a master of the quick start, was practically never headed in either of the races, finished ahead with a big margin on each occasion and showed ability to shade 70 miles an hour whenever necessary.

In addition to his other feats, Witt has completely ruined racing in the class below 160 inches piston displacement, by his work with a Flanders "20" which he drove at better than 60 miles an hour on several semi-public occasions at the Atlanta Speedway, scaring out all rival entries, as the formal events failed to fill.

Any time more "No'thun boys" want to essay a "Mahch through Gawgia" in either of these classes, they will find Witt and his two cars waiting for them at the Speedway.

Away With Pills and Purgatives!

The habit of taking salts or strong cathartic pills every time you want to loosen the bowels is a bad one, for in time you will destroy the activity of the digestive tract and you will have to rely entirely on medicines for action. This is not a pleasant thing to look forward to. From infancy to old age the use of strong purgatives should be avoided. This can be done by the use of a mild laxative like Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. While it is mild enough for a baby to use yet it is strong enough to give action in the most robust constitution. The letters of endorsement the doctor gets are from no one class—mothers who take it, mothers who give it to babies and children, people in the prime of life, and old people. It is successful with them all. It is in truth the ideal remedy for constipation, indigestion, biliousness, heartburn, gas on the stomach, sour stomach and all other manifestations of stomach, liver or bowel trouble. A bottle can be obtained of any druggist at fifty cents or one dollar, but you can make a free trial of it by writing Dr. Caldwell for a free sample bottle. He will be glad to send it to you. You cannot do better than read the letters printed here, and then act on their suggestions.

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Local Methodist Ministers and Laymen Leave This Week for Elizabeth City—Fine Year in City and District.

The 74th annual session of the North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Church, South, which convenes in Elizabeth City Wednesday and continues through Monday of next week, is of more than usual interest to the people of Wilmington and the Wilmington district, owing to the fact that there will be at least three changes in the pastors of local churches and the present faithful and popular presiding elder will be given another field of labor, having served the time limit of four years.

Rev. W. L. Rexford, pastor of Bladen Street Church, is the only one of the local pastors who is likely to be returned. Rev. K. D. Holmes, pastor of Fifth Street Church, has served the time limit of four years; Rev. Thos. A. Smoot, pastor of Grace Church, for the past three years, has been transferred to Virginia Conference and goes to one of the Nortolk chuches, and Rev. E. R. Welch, pastor of Trinity Church, has been transferred to Lindsay, Oklahoma. Rev. W. L. Cuninggim has served this district as presiding elder for four years and at this conference will either be given a pastoral charge or sent as presiding elder of another district.

There are in the Wilmington district six counties—Onslow, Pender, Duplin, New Hanover, Brunswick and Columbus, and two-thirds of Sampson and parts of Bladen, Jones and Carteret, reaching from Warsaw to the South Carolina line, a distance of about 140 miles. There are now 22 pastoral charges, five are stations and 17 are circuits. In the circuits there are 92 churches and 15 other preaching places, making a total of 113 places where regular services are held. When Mr. Cuninggim came to the district four years ago there were only 19 pastoral charges, a gain of three in the four years, which is considered a splendid growth.

In the four years there was great interest in Sunday School work and this important feature of church work has increased more than in any other district in the conference. Mr. Cuninggim is deeply interested in Sunday Schools and considers this one of the most important agencies in the church. The enrollment, attendance, contributions, etc., have all been excellent in the Sunday Schools of the district, especially the last year or two. There has also been steady growth in missions. Services are now being held in 26 places where there were no services held four years ago. Fourteen new church organizations have been formed during this period. Fourteen new church buildings have been erected where four years ago there were no churches and three are now in course of erection. Five new churches have been replaced with new and more modern edifices and three others are now being built. Besides, an immense sum has been expended in the district in the four years for repairs of churches and parsonages and in paying off church debts, and two new parsonages, one at Chadbourn and the other at Rose Hill, have been built.

In 1906, the year just preceding Mr. Cuninggim's work in the district, $11,335 was assessed for the support of pastors, while this year $15,569 was assessed, a gain of $4,234 in pastors' salaries. Four years ago the average salary of the 19 pastors then serving the district was $596; this year the average salary of the 22 pastors was $712 a year. The 14 circuit pastors received in 1906 an average salary of $467 a year each; this year the 17 circuit pastors received an average of $609, a gain of $142. This increase in salaries of the pastors was brought about largely through the efforts of the presiding elder, who, however, would not permit an increase in his own salary.

During the four years the accession to the membership of the churches on profession of faith have been 1,704, an average of over 400 a year. There were also a large number by church certificate. The net gain for this period will not be less than 1,350.

Mr. Cuninggim has preached about 780 times in the district; made a large number of Sunday School talks, and has held 328 quarterly conferences, not missing a single appointment. To reach all of his appointments during this time Mr. Cuninggim has had to travel nearly 30,000 miles and his mode of travel has varied from a Pullman to an ox cart.

The churches in the district show up exceptionally well for the past year and the report of the presiding elder will be the best he has made from this district. There has been a material growth in every department of the church work and Mr. Cuninggim feels certain that this growth will be more marked another year, the interest perhaps being the greatest ever shown by the churches in the district.

Mr. Cuninggim has served the district well and faithfully and it can be truthfully said that no presiding elder anywhere is more popular with his people. It is with deep regret that the district gives him up. If it were left to a vote of the churches, Mr. Cuninggim would return to this district another year. Without exception they would vote unanimously for his return. Mr. Cuninggim has made Wilmington his home and his departure is especially regretted in this city. The people would like very much to see him returned to one of the local churches, since his return as presiding elder is out of the question. Wherever he goes he will carry with him the friendship and sincere best wishes of hundreds and hundreds of people in the Wilmington district.

The Local Churches.

Rev. K. D. Holmes is rounding out his fourth year as pastor of Fifth Street Methodist church and in a few weeks will begin his labors elsewhere. His pastorate has been eminently successful and his removal is generally regretted. He is not only popular in his church, but holds the confidence respect and esteem of the people generally of the city, regardless of denomination. The church has made great progress during his four years' pastorate and the last year was perhaps the best of the four. There are now 450 members. During the four years 150 new members were added and the church has paid out for all purposes about $20,000. The church organization is perfect and great work is being done by the several auxiliary organizations. All are very active and growing in interest. The church has no debts of any kind and all obligations have been paid. The future of the church is exceedingly bright. Mr. Holmes and his excellent family regret that they are soon to leave Wilmington, which place is dear to them. To their new home they will carry the very best wishes of hundreds of friends in this city and it is hoped that Mr. Holmes will be as successful in his pastorate the next four years as he has been the past four; no more could be asked.

It is very probable that Rev. W. L. Rexford will be returned as pastor of Bladen Street Church, this being his first year there. For four preceding years he was pastor of Trinity Church and it was mighty pleasant news which came over the wires when the appointments were read last year that he had been sent to Bladen Street Church. Although he could not be returned to Trinity Church at that time, the congregation had consolation in the knowledge that he was not to leave Wilmington. Mr. Rexford will go to the conference this week with a good report. Home and foreign missions, orphanage and all other conference claims have been paid. The Sunday School has increased greatly during the year, 150 new members being enrolled, and more than 50 new accessions to the church. An Epworth League has been organized and is doing a good work. About $1,500 was raised during the year for all purposes.

As stated above, Mr. Smoot goes to Norfolk, Va., and Mr. Welch goes to Oklahoma. Both are very popular in Wilmington and they would have been warmly welcomed upon their return for another year's labors here.

STRIKING BOATMEN LEAVE.

Six Left on New York Steamer Yesterday—May Return to Work.

Six of the boatmen until recently employed on the dredge Comstock and who struck on account of a disagreement in which the War Department failed to sustain their complaint, left yesterday on the steamer Carib for New York.

There are six others now at the Seamen's Home and it is reported that they will return to work on the dredge. Several others who struck at the same time went back to Galveston, where the dredge was formerly stationed. It is stated that the men that caused the disagreement have gone and the others left here will return to the dredge this week. Another crew was secured to take the place of the old men, but it is believed that they will be taken back.

SOUSA'S BAND COMING.

Famous Bandmaster Here on December 9th.—World Tour.

Music lovers will be interested in the announcement that Sousa and his famous band are to play a concert in the Academy of Music in this city on the night of December 9th. It is announced that the famous bandmaster will appear at Fayetteville for a concert on the afternoon of the same day, reaching this city the same night for the appearance at the Academy. Sousa comes to Fayetteville from Charlotte and it is stated that he will appear in only ten cities of the South, after which he will return to New York and embark for a world-wide tour.

Real Estate Transfers.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Chas. S. Burnett and wife to Lena E. Stennermann, for $10 and other considerations, lot on northeast corner of Eighth and Marsteller streets. 132x155 feet in size; W. J. Reaves and wife to W. O. Page and wife, for $100 and other considerations, 17 3-4 acres of land in Harnett township, adjoining lands of Paul Caase; Hugh Owens and wife to James J. Darby, for $150. lot on east side of Third, 99 feet south of Martin street, 33x75 feet in size; G. Ford Hewlett and wife to L. Clayton Grant and wife, for $100 and other considerations, lots on north side of Gwynn, 82 1-2 feet east of Anderson street, 66x82 1-2 feet in size.

Meeting at the Bijou Today.

The meeting at the Bijou Theatre this afternoon at 5 o'clock, under the auspces of the Y. M. C. A., will be addressed by Maj. Edward White, Salvation Army divisional officer, who is here on an official visit to the local post. The subject of Major White's address will be "Twice Born Men." Major White is accompanied by Miss Seigman, who has the title of captain, and she will render several vocal and instrumental selections at the meeting. Both men and women of the city are cordially invited to attend the meeting.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Announcements by Wilmington Pastors for Pulpits Today.

St. Matthews' English Lutheran church, North Fourth street, Rev. H. E. Beatty, pastor. Service at 11 A. M., and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 10 A. M. Mid-week services of prayer and praise Wednesday evening at 8 P. M. Public service of the Woman's Missionary Society Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Address by Rev. W. A. Snyder, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church. Everybody welcome.

St. Paul's Episcopal church, corner of Fourth and Orange streets, Rev. A. W. Seabreese, rector. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 A. M., evening at 5 P. M. Seats free.

Grace M. E. church, corner of Fourth and Grace streets, Rev. T. A. Smoot, pastor. Services in morning at 11 A. M., evening at 7:30. Sunday school at 3:30 P. M. Public cordially invited.

St. Thomas' Catholic church: First mass 7 A. M. Last mass and sermon 10:30 A. M. Vespers, 7:45 P. M.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church, corner of Sixth and Market streets, Rev. W. A. Snyder, pastor. First Sunday in Advent, German service, 11 A. M. English vesper service, 7:30 P. M. Sunday school, 3:30 P. M. Christian Association, 4:30 P. M. A cordial invitation to all. Seats free.

St. John's church, Third and Red Cross streets, Rev. W. E. Cox, rector. First Sunday in Advent. Morning prayer, sermon and Holy Communion 11 A. M. Sunday school 4 P. M. Evening prayer and sermon 8 P. M. All are cordially invited.

First Baptist Church—Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M., by the pastor, Rev. Dr. J. H. Foster. The text at the morning service will be "What Mean These Stones?" Dr. Foster will preach a special sermon to women, when his subject will be "The Glory of the Young Woman."

ARRANGING FOR CLUB FROLIC

Formal Presentation of Prizes Won in Athletic Yacht Club Races Takes Place Next Month—Will Be Big Event.

The governing board of the Carolina Yacht Club, at a special meeting last night, decided to hold a club frolic at the handsome club house at Wrightsville Beach on Saturday night, December 10th, at which the prizes won in the Summer yacht races over the course of the club will be presented. The frolic will be similar to those held by the club some years ago and the members are looking forward to the event with the keenest interest and happy anticipation.

The governing board is composed of E. A. Metts, commodore; A. B. Skelding, fleet captain; W. N. Harriss, S. M. Boatwright and Waddell ttWaers. Mr. R. G. Rankin, purser, was present as secretary of the meeting. The arrangements for the frolic will be in charge of the regatta committee, composed of Clayton Giles, Jr., chairman; F. A. Lord and W. D. MacMilan, Jr. In addition to the presentation of the prizes there will be music and refreshments served. The speakers of the occasion will be selected by the regatta committee.

Three prizes were contested for during the Summer. The first prize, the Jones-Walters trophy, was won by Col. John VanB. Metts; the second prize, offered by the club, was won by Commodore Metts, sailing ex-Commodore Cowan's boat, and the third prize, given by ex-Commodore S. P. Cowan, was won by Capt. R. G. Rankin.

Extensive improvements are being made on the interior of the club house and it is hoped to have the work completed in time for the club frolic. The club house has been opened all the Fall and hardly a day passes without a visit from one or more members of the club and some days crowds may be seen there. From now on there will probably be a greater number to visit the club house during the week.

MR. L. H. BURNETT DELEGATE.

Will Represent Traveling Men at Waterways Meeting Next Week.

At the regular semi-monthly meeting last night of Cape Fear Council, No. 34, United Commercial Travelers, a communication was read from the North Carolina Waterways Association asking that the council send delegates to the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, which meets in Washington, D. C., December 7th, 8th and 9th, and Mr. L. H. Burnett, the secretary, was named as the representative of the council. Mr. Burnett expects to attend the meeting.

The council is now making an effort to increase its membership among the business men ofthecity. Heretofore special efforts have been put forth to secure the traveling men as members and nearly all those traveling out of Wilmington are affiliated with the organization. It is hoped that at the next meeting, the second Saturday night in December, there will be a number of candidates for initiation.

ANNUAL PARISH ELECTION.

For the Selection of Vestrymen at St. John's Church Monday.

The annual Parish election for the selection of vestrymen for the ensuing year will be held in the Parish House of St. John's Church on Monday, November 28th, between the hours of 12 M. and 3 P. M. All male members of the Parish, who are baptised and 21 years of age are entitled to vote. All who are qualified to vote in this election are urged to come and vote, especially the young men who have not been accustomed to voting in the Parish elections. Regularly appointed poll holders will be in charge of the election, and will give all necessary information to those not familiar with the details of such electon.

Funeral of Mr. Adrian Barlow.

The funeral of the late Mr Adrian Barlow, whose death occurred Friday morning, was held from the residence of his sister, Mrs. Bertha Crouch, No. 5 Wooster street, yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. There were many friends and relatives present. The interment was in Bellevue cemetery.

BEST NORFOLK SERVICE.

The Atlantic Coast Line's through night service between Wilmington and Norfolk has pre-eminent advantage, in that it is the only through car or double daily route and does not require a midnight or early morning transfer of trains and depots.

Sleeper leaves Wilmington 7:00 P. M., arrives Norfolk 8:00 A. M. next day. Parlor car leaves 8:40 A. M., arrives Norfolk 5:55 P. M. same date.

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DR. MILTON'S SERVICES.

Another Special Sermon at St. James' This Evening—Music.

Dr. Milton will preach the third of the series of practical sermons on "The Problem of Indifference" at St. James' tonight. The particular aspect of indifference under consideration will be the skeptical or cynical attitude of the man who objects to Christianity and its institutions because of its creeds and the personnel of its adherents. A fair hearing is asked especally from those who belong to this class of objectors, and who think they have the best of reasons for their attitude of indifference. Their position, and the arguments with which they are accustomed to defend it, will be dealt with in a fair and kindly manner.

The service will be short and bright, and such as anyone can follow, if he desires. The organ recital, beginning at 7:45, will consist of the of wioelsniecgtiol of the following selections: "Capriccio," by Fumagalli; "offertoire" by Capocci. The anthems by the choir will be: "Saviour, Thy Children Keep," by Sullvan, and "I do not ask, O Lord," by Stross.

A cordial welcome is extended to the general public, both church attendants and non-church goers. The seats are all free, and any one will be shown to any seat in the church desired. The Brotherhood will be waiting to make visitors and strangers heartily welcome.

MRS. J. P. MONTGOMERY DEAD.

Wife of County Commissioner Montgomery Passes Away—Funeral.

Mrs. Mildred L. Montgomery, wife of County Commissoner J. P. Montgomery, died early yesterday morning at the home of her son-inlaw, Mr. H. L. Horne, Jr., on Myrtle Sound, after an illness extending over a period of about three years, during which time she has been confined to her room. Her condition had been serious for some days and her death was not altogether unexpected, although the realization of her passing was a great snock to her relatives and frends.

Mrs. Montgomery was 57 years old and besides her husband is survived by two sons and two daughters, these being Messrs. C. A. and C. P. Montgomery, of Wilmington; Mrs. H. L. Horne, Jr., and Miss Ethel Montgomery, who have the tenderest sympathy of a great many friends in their bereavement. Mrs. Montgomery was a member of Myrtle Grove Methodist Church.

The funeral will be held from the residence of Mr. H. L. Horne, Jr., at 3 o'clock this afternoon and the interment will be in the Horne burying ground at Myrtle Grove.

Will of Mr. B. G. Worth Probated.

The will of the late Mr. Brizillai G. Worth was probated at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court yesterday morning. Messrs. Wm. E. Worth and Geo. R. French were named as the executors of the estate and they qualified yesterday morning. Mr. Worth left a large estate, valued at $30,000 in addition to many houses and lots and country property in this and other counties. A provision is made in the will for all the children and other relatives of the deceased.

Christian Association Meets.

The regular monthly meeting of the Christian Association of St. Paul's Lutheran Church will be held this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in the Memorial Building. One of the features at this meeting of men will be an address on "Religious Life in Germany" by Mr. William Niestlie, one of the elders of St. Pauls. Six new members will be added to this association of men.

The Greatest Football Player in North Carolina.

It is a very difficult matter to decide who is the greatest football player in North Carolina. There has been such a tremendous number who have made such brilliant records, that it would take an expert far above the average to render a decision. Yet we wish to leave to your decision whether you will be poor or prosperous. If you take advantage of the New Series of Stock to be opened by the People's Building and Loan Association next Saturday, you will start on the road to prosperity. Inquire at the office of D. R. Foster & Co., for information. 206 Princess street home of the Association. Shares 25 cents. **

NEW HOLIDAY SUGGESTIONS

"The Old, Old Story—What Shall I Buy Him or Her" For a Christmas Present—Wait!

Let me make a suggestion. I am now sole agent for the "Beehler" Name-On, Folding Suit Case Umbrella. Think what a nice present a good, strong, neat, up-to-date umbrella with the owners' own name and address woven into the fabric would make. This feature alone, makes the umbrella almost loss proof. It is also made to fold and fit in any suit case or trunk. Suppose you wish to take a trip in fair weather, your umbrella is always in the way. You will in many instances walk right off and leave it. But if you have a "Beehler," all you have to do is, fold and put it in your suitcase. When it rains you have it right with you and yet it is no trouble. I will be pleased to have you call and inspect our immense line, or leave your order for any number desired. REMEMBER there are no extra charges for name and address, etc. Prices range from $1 to $5 which is really cheaper than the non-folding kind.

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WILL SPEAK AT HIGH POINT.

Dr. E. J. Wood Will Address Guilford Medical Society.

Dr. Edward J. Wood, of this city, ex-president of the North Carolina Medical Society, will be the principal speaker at a big meeting of the Guilford Medical Society at High Point Thursday of this week. Some months ago the Guilford society decided to hold several big meetings at which some special subject would be extensively considered, some of the meetings to be held in High Point and the others in Greensboro. It was decided to hold the December meeting at High Point and to take up the comparatively new disease, pellagra. Dr. Wood was invited to deliver the principal address and has accepted. He has made a special study of this disease and the members of the Guilford society are looking forward with an unusual degree of interest to his address on Thursday. It has not been definitely determined that pellagra is not caused from corn, but it is an insect that communicates the disease.

NEW HOTEL PROJECT.

Meeting of Stockholders and Business Men Wednesday at Noon.

Much interest is being taken outside of Wilmington in the project to build a new and modern hotel on Wrightsville Beach. Reference has previously been made to the fact that the Baltimore Manufacturer's Record and the Washington Post printed large cuts of the hotel and the Herald now joins the procession by also printing a picture of the structure and grounds.

The directors of the company have been steadily and quietly at work and a meeting of the stockholders numbering about 110 business men of the city will be held Wednesday at 12 o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce rooms. It is sincerely hoped that the building will be ready for the coming season and if it is, it is confidently predicted that the number of visitors will be fully a million next Summer.

IN DARKEST AFRICA.

Illustrated Lecture at Christ Congregational Church.

At Christ Congregational Church, colored, tomorrow night will be given an illustrated lecture on "In Darkest Africa," or "From Cape Colony to the Congo." The lecture was to have been given last Thursday night, but was postponed until Monday night on account of some mishap to the machine. Those who did not get their tickets back at that time will be admitted at the lecture tomorrow night. Several white people were present last Thursday night and it is hoped that they will return for the lecture. The admission will be 10 cents, the proceeds to be used for mission work. Ministers and their wives will be admitted free.

Blind Negro Lone Defendant.

Robert Brown, a colored blind man, was the lone defendant in yesterday's session of the Recorder's court. He was arrested Friday night on the charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct. Being blind he could not see those around him and was disorderly in the presence of the officer who made the arrest. It is not Brown's first appearance in the Recorder's court, having been tried some months ago on the charge of conducting a "blind tiger." The Recorder fined Brown guilty of drunkenness and disorderly conduct and suspended judgment upon payment of the costs.

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Brief Mention, News of Societies, Meetings, etc

Mrs. W. M. Branch left yesterday for Raleigh, where she will spend several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Emma Woodworth.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Diehm returned from Marion, S. C., yesterday, having spent Thanksgiving Day very pleasantly with relatives.

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The St. John's Parish Guild will hold its annual Christmas sale of fancy articles and candy on the 14th of December, during the afternoon and evening.

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Mrs. B. J. Willingham, wife of Dr. Willingham, returned last night from Richmond, Va., where she spent some days very pleasantly on a visit to Dr. and Mrs. R. J. Willingham.

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Mrs. John H. Small, wife of Congressman Small, and Miss Nora Angel, of Washington, N. C., are the attractive guests of Capt. and Mrs. Richard Crisp, at The Carolina.

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The many friends of Mr. George W. Brunson, Jr., editor and one of the owners of the Greenville (S. C.) Daily News, are delighted to have him in the city for a day or two. He came over to accompany Mrs. Brunson and family who have been spending some time with Mrs. Brunson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Smallbones, back to their home at Greenville.

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Mr. B. F. Keith returned yesterday from Raleigh where he spent several days with his daughter, Miss Adeline Keith, who was so severely burned at Meredith College, where she was a student, several weeks ago. Mrs. Keith is still with her daughter. Friends will be interested to know that Miss Keith is gradually improving, though it will be some time before she will be able to return home. The physicians in attendance, however, give every assurance of her ultimate recovery.

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Newbern, N. C., Nov. 26.—A quiet marriage was solemnized at the home of Mrs. P. L. Thomas, on Johnson street, at 8:30 this evening, the contracting parties being Mr. J. F. Rogers, of Charleston, S. C., and Miss Lorena Dawson, of Dunn, N. C. Rev. C. L. Greaves officiated. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a few friends. Mr. Rogers is one of the most popular and efficient conductors of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad. Mrs. Rogers is a most accomplished young lady and has won a host of friends during her short stay in Newbern. They will continue to make Newbern their home.

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The Literature Department of North Carolina Sorosis held its regular meeting Friday afternoon in the club room at the library, taking up the second subject in the course of German literature. Miss Ruth Shaw read a delightful paper on "Charlemange"; Mrs. W. C. Curtis one on "Gutenberg", father of printing; Miss Lydia Yates gave a review of the period of depression preceding the "Golden Age," and Mrs. Wm. M. Parsley, Jr., a sketch of Frederick the Great. There was much time given to Martin Luther as an influence on literature, and then the meeting was given over to an informal discussion of the subjects of the afternoon.

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MISS DAISY DAVIES AT GRACE CHURCH WEDNESDAY.

Miss Daisy Davies, Fied Secretary of the Woman's Missionary Council, of the M. E. Church, South, will speak in Grace Church on Wednesday evening, Nov. 30th, at 8 o'clock. The public is invited to hear her. Those who were so fortunate in hearing Miss Davies on a former visit to Wilmington recall the enthusiasm and zeal her addresses inspired and even greater blessings can be expected on this visit because of the larger knowledge and deeper sense of the character, power and purpose of God in the World's salvation which she gained at the World's Missionary Conference at Edinburgh the past Summer.

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WILMINGTON RED CROSS PLANS ACTIVE CAMPAIGN.

Again this year the Wilmington branch of the American Red Cross Society will conduct its stamp campaign and already 75,000 of these pretty little reminders have been received and will be ready for distribution to the public on December 1st. The annual meeting of the Wilmington branch of the Society will be held in the parlors of the Colonial Inn on Tuesday at 11 o'clock and it is hoped to have a very large attendance. Members of all church societies, whether members of the Red Cross or not, are cordially invited to attend and to join in a movement which means so much for the alleviation of suffering and disease. The local society has received a large amount of advertising matter and other necessaries for conducting the most active stamp campaign yet undertaken and the ladies hope to sell an even larger number of the little tokens this year than formerly.

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SATURDAY EVENING GERMAN CLUB DANCE.

Last night the Saturday Evening German Club gave its regular dance in the Masonic Temple ball room. The crowd was much larger than at the dance just preceding and as the membership has recently been increased, the attendance Saturday night of this week is expected to be the largest of the season. These dances are very informal affairs and are a source of much pleasure to the young society people of the city. Music for the occasion was furnished by Kneisel's Orchestra.

Among those dancing, were: Miss Anna Miller, of New Jersey, Mr. Joe Jacobs; Miss Bessie Albright, Mr. J. H. James; Miss Etta Brand, Mr. H. P. West; Miss Parsley, Mr. B. B. Reynolds; Miss Elise Kidder, Mr. Bennett Dunn; Miss Charlotte Pleasants, Mr. Meares Harriss; Miss Nellie Savage, Mr. John Q. Myers; Miss Helen Kenly, Mr. R. H. Grant; Miss Davidson of Washington, D. C., Mr. R. W. Hicks, Jr. Stags—Mr. Robert Cronly and Mr. E. P. Bailey. Chaperone: Miss Belle Anderson.

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GETTING READY FOR "A REGULAR FLIRT."

"A Regular Flirt," is the title of a three-act comedy, which will be presented in the assembly hall of the Howard Relief Club by a number of young ladies and gentlemen some time within the next two weeks. The cast of characters for the play is as follows:

Dr. Thos. Morgan, a prominent physician—Mr. Ferdinand Fick.

Reginald Morgan, the doctor's nephew—Mr. Luther Wessell.

Theodore Morgan, also a nephew of the doctor's—Mr. Carl Fick.

Dick Harding, the doctor's step-sister's son—Mr. John Oldenbuttel.

Kitty Harding—Miss Gesine Mahr.

Mrs. Mortimer Mason, a designing widow—Miss Kate Bornemann.

Marie O'Reilly, Mrs. Mason's Maid—Miss Florence Wessell.

Mildred Elliot, "A Regular Flirt,"—Miss Annie Tiencken.

Directoress—Miss Kate Gieschen.

Synopsis of Incidents: Act. I. The eve of the house party. Dick decides to take position of butler in his Uncle's family. Mrs. Mason decides to marry the doctor. The guests arrive. A wager is made. Act. II. The race is lost and won. Dick takes refuge in the tool box. Dr. Morgan becomes confidential. Mrs. Mason is made happy. Theodore consults his uncle. Breakfast is served. Act. III. Marie is surprised. The doctor and Dick come to an understanding. Reginald and Theodore decide to keep bachelor's hall. The Regular Flirt falls a victim to Cupid's wiles.

The play is to be presented within the next two weeks, the exact date to be announced within the next few days. The proceeds will be donated to the club. Tickets can be secured from any member of the cast, or from Miss Kate Gieschen, or at Struther's cigar store.

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MISS WILSON SCORES ANOTHER GREAT SUCCESS

Last night at the Academy of Music Miss Flora Wilson, of Washington, D. C., added another success to her already large list and elicited enthusiastic applause. The programme was varied and delightful and appealed to those who can appreciate and love the highest class of operatic music and to others to whom the sweet Scotch ballads and sympathetic airs find most favor.

The piece de resistance, if it may be so expressed, was a superb rendition of "Ah Fors e lui (Traviata, by Verdi. This brought out the delicacy and admirable technique in which Miss Wilson is so proficient. "The Shadow Song" (Dinorah, by Meyerbeer, and the waltz song from "Romeo and Juliet," were also two of the particularly enjoyable numbers, her rendition of these placed Miss Wilson in the front rank of finished artists, her clear high tones rivalling those of Tetrazzinni. E. and F. were sung with sweet fullness and tone and brought forth a storm of applause. The versatility of Miss Wilson was particularly shown in Part II of the programme, when dressed as a Scotch lassie, she sang her way into the hearts of her audience by the dear old, always delightful ballads, "A Highland Lassie," "Annie Laurie," and others.

By special request Miss Wilson sang "The Boat Song," and finally "Good Night. Sweet Dreams," all dear to the hearts of those who love good music. The accompanist for Miss Wilson was Prof. Geo. L. Johnson, an artist of exceptional ability and one whom Miss Wilson spoke of being a great musician." The thanks of the public are due to Sorosis of this city and the patronesses of the concert were: Mesdames Herbert McClammy, R. W. Hicks, J. K. Wise, E. L. Prince, J. W. Williamson, H. R. Bates, J. M. Solky, Cameron F. MacRae, Philander Pearsall, E. K. Bryan, Wm. Latimer, John D. Bellamy, J. H. Rehder, M. F. H. Gouverneur, Allan Nicholls and Misses Margaret Gibson and Lilla Bellamy.

While in the city Miss Wilson, who is the daughter of Commissioner of Agriculture Wilson, is the guest of Mrs. Jessie Kenan Wise. Miss Wilson has a personality that captivates and the impression made upon the auditors last evening was deep and distinct.

USE OF ANOTHER'S BOTTLES.

Dairyman Blum Arrested Yesterday Afternoon.—Others.

M. Blum, who conducts a dairy near here, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Constable Savage on a warrant charging him with the use of milk bottles belonging to the Shadeland Dairy. He gave $100 bond for his appearance at trial before Justice Harriss Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Capt. J. D. Bowen, proprietor of Shadeland Dairy, has had many of his milk bottles to disappear recently and yesterday afternoon he swore out a warrant for Blum, whose dairy and wagons were searched by Constable Savage, with the result that 15 pint and six quart bottles belonging to Shadeland Dairy were found. The bottles were identified by Captain Bowen, who then swore out a warrant for Blum's arrest. Blum has not made any statement relative to the presence of the bottles at his place. There is a law against the use of milk bottles belonging to another and the punishment for the offense is in the discretion of the magistrate, the maximum being a fine of $50. Captain Bowen says that he knows of several others who have his bottles and unless they are returned within the next few days warrants will be issued for them. He would prefer, however, that the bottles be quietly returned, in which case no action will be taken.

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ATTEMPTED TO END LIFE

Following a Quarrel With His Wife, Ed Edwards Slashes Throat With Pocket Knife—Has Even Chance of Recovery.

Following a quarrel with his wife, Ed Edwards, a young white man about 25 years old, threw himself across a bed at his home, corner Third and Hanover streets, and severely cut his throat with his pocket knife, almost severing the windpipe, about 11 o'clock last night. There was no one else in the house at the time, his wife having gone across the street to the home of a neighbor after the controversy with her husband.

Struggles were heard in the house by some one who chanced to pass by. The alarm was given and the home entered. Edwards was found lying across a bed in a back room with his throat cut and blood flowing profusely from the wound. Under his head was found the knife with which the cutting was done.

Police headquarters was called and Assistant Chief Woolard dispatched Sergeant H. W. Howell and Patrolman J. E. Parker to the scene. The wounded man was still lying across the bed when they arrived and the flow of blood had not been checked. The officers were told that Edwards and his wife had a quarrel during which he struck her. She then left the house and Edwards went in a rear room and a short time later the struggling sound was heard. The officers called the ambulance and Edwards was hurried to the hospital, where he was given attention by the hospital surgeons. While not prepared to make a statement as to the seriousness of the wound, the physicians say that he has an even chance of recovery. The gash across the throat is about four inches long. The windpipe was penetrated and almost severed. When the physician arrived with the ambulance the wounded man had practically no pulse and had lost a quantity of blood from hemorrhages, which had, however, ceased. Edwards was able to talk at an early hour this morning and calls repeatedly for his wife.

It was said that Edwards formerly worked with one of the railroads on the local yards. Some months ago a warrant was sworn out for him for slapping his wife, but he left the city before it could be served. The officers did not know of his return until the attempted suicide was reported last night.

RURAL SCHOOL TEACHERS.

Regular Monthly Meeting Held at Court House Yesterday.

With every member in attendance, the regular monthly meeting of the New Hanover White Teachers' Association was held at the Court House yesterday morning, Supt. Washington Catlett, president of the organization, presiding. The feature of the meeting was a short talk by Mr. John J. Blair, superintendent of the city schools, who discussed drawing and illustrated his speech with free hand sketches. The teachers were much interested in his remarks and gave him close attention. Prof. Catlett called the attention of the teachers to the importance of vaccination of pupils as a preventive of smallpox. The next meeting will be held Friday, December 23rd, being held at that time on account of the fact that the date for the regular meeting is during the holidays.

SCHOONER READY FOR SEA.

Robert A. Snyder Has Been Repaired. New York With Lumber.

The schooner Robert A. Snyder, Capt. Tinker, which was disabled at sea, while bound from New York to this port and later towed here with her foremast broken and several of her sails carried away, has been repaired and will sail today for New York.

The schooner received her cargo of lumber several days ago and cleared, but on account of having to wait for new sails from New York has been delayed. It has required some time to replace the foremast, which was broken into three pieces. The vessel ran into a storm and the crew had a trying experience before she was towed into port.

PAYS TO ADVERTISE.

What the Southern Banker Has to Say on Subject.

Referring to the American National Bank, of this city, the Southern Banker, in its current issue says:

"This bank has been using very large newspaper space and that it pays is shown by the steady growth of the deposit account. Never in the history of Wilmington banking circles did a Wilmington bank pay for one-half page in a local paper until the organization of the American National Bank. Now it is a common thing to see one-half page bank "ads" in Wilmington papers, it pays."

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NOTICE TO FAT WOMEN.

Presumably you know, ladies, that the proper caper nowadays is lines. Curves are passé. You have got to take off your fat. This must be done in one of three days. By dieting, by exercise, or by means of Marmola Prescription Tablets. The two former will keep you busy for months and punish you pretty severely, the latter will cost you 75 cents at the druggist's. The tablets will not make any alteration in your diet necessary, and yet in all probability, before you have used up one case, you will be losing from 12 to 16 ounces of fat a day. Which method do you like the best?

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CONSERVATIVE PROGRESS

Theatrical

The Crystal Palace.

The entire week at the Palace promises to be full of fun. Kennedy & Vincent will play several sketches full of Irish comedy and eccentric dancing. Bendon and Abedona have been making a hit everywhere. With an engagement of two such teams there is no reason why the show won't be better than the past week. There will be an additional attraction in the illustrated song line. The moving pictures will be changed daily as usual, and there will again be amateurs on Friday night. The performances are at 3:30, 4:30, 7:30, 8:30 and 9:30.

At the Bijou Tomorrow.

At the Bijou tomorrow will be shown "A Modern Knight Errant" and "The Conspiracy of Pontiac." The former is full of red blood interest of human nature, while the latter, a spectacular and very interesting Indian story, is an exact reproduction of the incidents as they transpired leading up to the attack on the little settlement of Detroit in the year 1763.

At Joyland.

There will be an especially large and attractive programme at Joyland tomorrow and one that will please beyond doubt. "The Cattle Rustler's Daughter," one of those swell Western dramas and the big comic feature "The Rest Cure" will be offered. The programme changes daily.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. C. S. Hicks, of Dunn, N. C., was a Wilmington visitor yesterday and was cordially received by many friends here.

—Mr. J. E. Register, agent for the Merchants' & Farmers' Steamboat Co., of Fayetteville, spent yesterday in the city.

—Messrs. P. L. Cantwell, Holmes Davis, D. R. Foster, J. B. Lynch, G. G. Lynch and Rufus Hicks returned Friday night from Norfolk, Va., where they witnessed the football game Thursday.

Basketball at Y. M. C. A.

Two fast and interesting games of basketball were played at the Y. M. C. A. last night. The first game, called at 6:20 o'clock, between teams in the Busy Men's League, was won by team No. 4, T. K. Kesler, captain, defeating team No. 3, J. U. King, captain, by the score of 26 to 19. Two Junior teams contested for honors in the second game, which was won by team No. 2, James Farrar, captain, over team No. 4, Henry Haar, captain, score being 37 to 9.

Failure to Furnish Statement.

Mr. E. Snyder, the well known painter and decorator, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Constable Savage on a warrant charging him with not furnishing an itemized contractor's statement as required by law, the prosecutor being Fred Cornell, who claims that Mr. Snyder owes him some $15 or $20 for work done. The prosecutor says that he has secured evidence that Mr. Snyder did not furnish an itemized statement in at least two or three instances. The defendant gave $100 bond for appearance at trial before Justice Harriss Tuesday.

Prepared by Mrs. Schlieve.

The annual Thanksgiving dinner at the Seamen's Home, which was so much enjoyed by the seamen and rivermen last Thursday evening, was prepared by Mrs. Schlieve, wife of Supt. Herman Schlieve, who has charge of the home. It was the largest crowd of seamen ever assembled at the home on a like occasion and the elegant repast was thoroughly enjoyed.

CARD OF THANKS.

We extend sincere thanks to all our friends who were so kind to us, and who gave their sympatny and assistance during the illness and death of our loving sister.

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NEW TOY STORE.

The C. W. Polvogt Co., have rented the store next to them, formerly occupied by the Delmonico Restaurant for a toy department and will open the store on Wednesday with a complete stock of toys and fancy goods for Christmas. **

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IN MEMORIAM.

Lillian O'Grady Ennett was born in the early Spring of 1886 and died on Nov. 26th, 1910. She was born at Middle Sound where the family resided. Upon the death of her father the family moved to Wilmington, and where in a few years later her mother died. At the death of both parents, Lillian, with four sisters and one brother were left alone to face life and its difficulties. In their Wilmington home these children remained unbroken until they were all of age, and where with all their helps they made a comfortable living. At the marriage of the brother and two of the sisters, there were but three sisters left, Beulah, Henrietta and Lillian. These three girls were inseparable and remained in this bond of untiy and of love until death called Lillian to her Heavenly Home. From girlhood she was not strong but kept at her work wherever she could find honest work to do, until ill health forced her to retire.

Upon the doctor's advice she moved to South Carolina; to Sumerville, to Charleston and other places, hoping that travel and change of climate would be of help to her. She did not find the relief that she sought, but grew weaker and weaker until she moved back again to Wilmington where she remained with her two sisters to the end. Lillian joined the Methodist church in her early girlhood and was true to its every cause and to her Lord as long as she lived. It was on a beautiful Sunday morning not long before the church bells began to toll the hour of worship that the angel came and called her from the church militant to the church triumphant. In fact, Lillian was never far from Kingdom. One so innocent, so pure, so unassuming, so gentle and so spirit-filled as she was, was never out of sight of the pearly gates. To her death was but a stepping-stone from this life into that to come.

She had a kind word and a cheerful smile for everyone she met and every moment of her life betokened a sweet spirit and a deep, Christian character. She was a flower just unfolding to the sunlight of a splendid future and the promise of an unselfish blessing to the world. We do not quite understand the mystery of death, nor do we fully know why such souls are taken away when the world needs them so badly, and yet why should we question? Who knows but what the afterglow of life is more beautiful than life itself, and, as for that, wider in its influence? The afterglow of the sunset is painted in richer colors than the sun itself and excites in the observer a deeper admiration as he looks upon it and before the night can darken every planet in the heavens, catching the light of the sunken sun tells us that the sun still lives. We may be left in the shades of night, but those worlds above us catch the light of the living Sun and shine it back upon earth.

So may we stand in the shadows of a departed life, but the afterglow of that life is brilliant and beautiful, if it is a life like that of Lillian, and before that life can be forgotten it catches in the lives of others and lives on down through the centuries. The life of Lillian Ennett is being reflected in the life of all who knew her, and the world is better for her having lived. She has gone to be with God, as she confidingly said before she died, and the benediction of her sweet Christian life still remains with us. May there be no sorrow over her departure to that heavenly land, but let all who knew her and loved her strive to imitate her, as she strove to imitate her Lord.

A. FRIEND.

Ladies' long black coats all sizes just received at Polvogt's. **

LOCAL DOTS.

—In the advertising columns of today's paper the Cape Fear Oil Co., announce a reduction in the price of gasoline, from 12c to 11c a gallon.

—The body of Ed. Evans, colored, who was killed at Council's Station, Thanksgiving Day, by being shot in the head, while out hunting, it was stated, was brought to this city yesterday and the interment took place in the afternoon.

—Sheriff J. J. Knox of Brunswick county, gives notice that he will be in Wilmington at William Goodman's store, next Saturday, for the purpose of collecting the taxes of any Brunswick resident or property owner who may find it convenient to pay here.

STUART WILL NOT CONTEST.

Slemp Will be Allowed to Assume His Seat Uncontested.

Bristol, Tenn., Nov. 26.—The Democratic Executive Committee of the Ninth Virginia District, which met here today to decide whether Henry C. Stuart, Democratic nominee for Congress, shall contest the seat of Congressman C. B. Slemp, Republican re-elected by 217 majority, decided against a contest.

The "lone" Republican Congressman from Virginia will be allowed to assume his seat uncontested, though the Democratic committee today claimed irregularities.

COL. WETMORE PASSES.

Injuries Proved Fatal—Well Known in Politics.

St. Louis, Nov. 26.—Colonel Moses C. Wetmore, Democratic National Committeeman for Missouri and chairman of the finance committee of the National Democratic organization died here late today following injuries he sustained as the result of being run over on Wednesday by a wagon. His injuries consisted of concussion of the brain and a fractured shoulder. Col. Wetmore was active in politics for many years.

He made a large fortune as a tobacco manufacturer. His opposition to the tobacco trust is said to have cost it $5,000,000. His company was finally absorbed. Colonel Wetmore was a bachelor, 64 years old.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover County made in the case of William M. Bellamy, Administrator of Henry C. Green vs Mary C. Green, Henry Green, Jr., and Janie Green, the undersigned Commissioner will sell to the highest bidder, at public auction, for cash, on the 27th day of December, 1910, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Wilmington, the following lots of land, to-wit:—

First:—Lot beginning in Southern line of Wright Street 82 1-2 feet East of Eastern line of Fourth Street; runs Eastwardly along Wright street 38 feet; Southwardly parallel with Fourth Street 66 feet; Westwardly parallel with Wright street 38 feet; thence Northwardly parallel with Fourth Street 66 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot 1, Block 20.

Second: Lot beginning at Southwest corner of Thirteenth and Dawson streets; running Westwardly with Southern line of Dawson Street 100 feet; thence Southwardly parallel with Thirteenth Street 33 feet; Eastwardly parallel with Dawson Street 100 feet to Thirteenth Street; thence Northwardly with the western line of Thirteenth Street 33 feet to the beginning, being part of Eastern half of Lot 1, Block 32.

Third: All of Lot 1, Block, 318, being 66 by 330 feet.

This 26th day of November, 1910.

WILLIAM M. BELLAMY,
Commissioner.
no 26-1 a. w-4w.

FORECLOSURE SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of mortgage made by C. L. Dickinson and wife to Samuel Blossom and registered on the records of New Hanover County in Book 38, page 446, the undersigned will expose for sale, to the highest bidder, at public auction, for cash, on Monday the 19th day of December, 1910, at twelve o'clock M., at the Court House door of the county of New Hanover, in the City of Wilmington, N. C., the following described lot of land in said City, to-wit: A lot beginning in Southern line of Ann Street 100 feet East of Eastern line of Fifth Street; runs thence East with Southern line of Ann street 35 1-4 feet; thence South parallel with Fifth Street 66 feet; thence West parallel with Ann street 35 1-4 feet; thence North parallel with Fifth Street 66 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot 1, Block 117.

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FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

COTTON IS STILL ADVANCING

Slight Reactions During Day Followed by Recoveries—March Contracts Made New High Records for the Movement.

New York, Nov. 26.—Slight reactions at the opening of the cotton market this morning were followed by recoveries with March contracts making a new high record for the movement and with the close very stedy net three points lower to 3 points higher, November and December being lower, while later months were unchanged to three points higher.

The opening was barely steady at a decline of one to six points under realizing for over the week-end and in sympathy with rather disappointing cables, but while offerings were quite heavy they were readily absorbed around the initial prices. March contracts sold up to 15.19 or a point above the best figure reached yesterday while May reached yesterday's high record of 15.35 and closing prices were within a point or two of the top. Monday will be the first notice for December contracts and it is anticipated that notices for perhaps 100,000 bales will be issued. It is also expected that these notices will be taken up by a couple of prominent spot houses and while the near months were relatively easy at the close they had also shown relative steadiness early and ruled so quiet as to suggest no particular anxiety as to the deliveries. Spot advices were more or less conflicting, Liverpool reporting freer offerings from the South, while private advices received here from various Southern points reported a very firm situation and in some instances characterized the demand at the best of the season. Outside of spot news there seemed to be nothing fresh in the situation.

Receipts at the ports today 49,542 bales against 52,926 last week and 42,403 last year. For the week 350,000 bales against 394,414 last week and 220,541 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 5,730 bales against 8,707 last year.

Spot quiet 5 points higher; middling uplands 15.15; middling gulf 15.40; no sales.

Futures opened steady and closed very steady.

Month	Open	High	Low	Close
Nov.	14 89	14 89	14 89	14 87
Dec.	14 86	14 90	14 89	14 89
Jan.	14 16	14 93	14 85	14 90
Feb.				15 01
March	15 13	15 09	15 10	15 17
April				15 22
May	15 25	15 25	15 24	15 33
June	15 21			15 28
July	15 21	15 30	15 21	15 28
Aug.	14 88	14 91	14 84	14 90

Port Movement.

Galveston—Tone, steady; middling, 15; net receipts, 12,212; gross receipts, 12,212; sales, 2,697; stock, 203,784; continent, 8,636; coastwise, 4,294.

New Orleans—Tone, firm; middling, 14 3-4; net receipts, 5,730; gross receipts, 5,880; sales, 5,000; stock, 135,057; Great Britain, 21,800; France, 7,086; continent, 4,284; coastwise, 1,200.

Mobile—Tone, firm; middling, 14 9-16; net receipts, 2,577; gross receipts, 2,576; sales, 1,000; stock, 55,404; coastwise, 94.

Savannah—Tone, steady; middling, 14 3-8; net receipts, 13,642; gross receipts, 13,642; sales, 11,769; stock, 167,348; coastwise, 1,716.

Charleston—Tone, steady; middling, 14 5-8; net receipts, 2,880; gross receipts, 2,880; sales, 500; stock, 41,643; coastwise, 5,712.

Wilmington—Tone, quiet; middling, 14 3-8; net receipts, 3,219; gross receipts, 3,219; stock, 18,079; continent, 13,508.

Norfolk—Tone, steady; middling, 14 7-8; net receipts, 6,690; gross receipts, 6,690; sales, 3,757; stock, 32,504; coastwise, 6,772.

Baltimore—Tone nominal; middling, 14 7-8; stock, 19,138.

New York—Tone, quiet; middling, 15.15; net receipts, 181; gross receipts, 7,443; stock, 17,904.

Boston—Tone, quiet; middling, 15.15; net receipts, 800; gross receipts, 8,038; stock, 6,171; Great Britain, 2,788.

Philadelphia—Tone, quiet; middling, 15.14; stock, 4,318.

Port Townsend—Net receipts, 1,798; gross receipts, 1,798; Japan, 1,198.

Jacksonville—Net receipts, 187; gross receipts, 187; coastwise, 187.

Port Arthur—Net receipts, 118; gross receipts, 118; Great Britain, 118.

Minor Ports—Stock, 12,716.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts, 49,542; Great Britain, 24,703; France, 7,086; continent, 26,818; Japan, 1,198; stock, 875,376.

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Total since Sept. 1, at all ports, net receipts, 4,138,160; Great Britain, 1,427,223; France, 352,368; continent, 1,099,426; Japan, 27,672; Mexico, 500.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Tone, steady; middling, 15; net receipts, 14,312; gross receipts, 14,312; shipments, 12,983; sales, 7,976; stock, 125,829.

Augusta—Tone, steady; middling, 14 7-8; net receipts, 2,446; gross receipts, 2,581; shipments, 1,230; sales, 2,765; stock, 85,129.

Memphis—Tone, firm; middling, 15 1-8; net receipts, 6,362; gross receipts, 12,593; shipments, 9,400; sales, 9,300; stock, 158,280.

St. Louis—Tone, firm; middling, 15 1-8; net receipts, 2,557; gross receipts, 5,136; shipments, 2,619; stock, 16,272.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 3,220; gross receipts, 3,220; shipments, 1,634; sales, 400; stock, 9,092.

Little Rock—Tone, steady; middling, 14 3-8; net receipts, 3,229; gross receipts, 3,229; shipments, 5,099; stock, 40,568.

Louisville—Tone, firm; middling, 15.

Total today—31,078; gross receipts, 40,071; shipments, 30,995; sales 20,441; stock, 434,180.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET

Spot Quiet Two Points Higher—Sales and Futures.

Liverpool, Nov. 26.—Spot quiet, prices two points higher; American middling fair 8.56; good middling 8.24; middling 8.12; low middling 7.92; goo dordinary 7.66; ordinary 7.41.

The sales of the day were 6,000 bales of which 300 were for speculation and export and included 5,000 American. Receipts 23,000 bales including 10,200 American.

Futures opened steady and closed quiet. November 7.95 1-2; November and December 7.87; December and January 7.86 1-2; January and February 7.87 February and March 7.88 1-2; March and April 7.90; April and May 7.90 1-2; May and June 7.91; June and July 7.89 1-2; July and August 7.86 1-2; August and September 7.66.

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Str. Carib, Hale, New York, H. G. Smallbones.

Str. City of Fayetteville, King, Fayetteville, C. F. Love.

Sailed.

Schr. Robert A. Snyder, Tinker, New York, C. D. Mafflt.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Tyne (Br.) 1,821 tons, Ellis, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Ferndene (Br.) 2,443 tons, Leighton, Heide & Company.

Hilligien (Br.) 2,733 tons, Pulford, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Winnie (Br.) 1,583 tons, Shotten, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 26.

C. C. Railroad 2,377 bales cotton.

Atlantic Coast Line—1,842 bales cotton; 10 casks spirits turpentine; 5 barrels rosin; 20 barrels tar; 28 barrels crude turpentine. Str. Alice—10 casks spirits turpentine; 92 barrels rosin.

Total—3,219 bales cotton; 20 casks spirits turpentine; 97 barrels rosin; 20 barrels tar; 28 barrels crude turpentine.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Nov. 26.—Flour dull and nominally lower. Spring patents 5.15 to 5.50; winter patents 4.40 to 4.75.

Rye Flour—Firm.

Buckwheat Flour—Firm.

Buckwheat—Quiet.

Corn Meal and Rye—Steady.

Lard—Easy.

Tallow—Quiet.

Wheat—Easy; No. 2 red 96 3-8 elevator and 95 5-8 f.o.b. afloat. Closed 1-8c lower. May 1.02 1-4 July 99 1-4.

Corn—Barely steady; No. 2 new 52 1-4 f.o.b. to arrive. Futures closed unchnged to 1-8 net decline. December 54 1-4; May 54 5-8.

Oats—Steady; standard white 37 1-2. Futures closed 1-4 to 3-8c net decline. November 37; December 37; May 39 1-4; July 39.

Petroleum and Rice—Steady.

Sugar—Raw steady; refined steady.

Molasses—Quiet.

Coffee—Futures closed at a net gain of 2 to 15 points on bull support and covering. Spot firm; Rio No. 7, 13 to 13 1-8; Santos No 4, 13 1-2. Mild coffee quiet; Cordova 12 1-2 to 15.

Butter—Steady, unchanged.

Cheese—Unchanged.

Eggs—Easy; State, Pennsylvania and nearby hennery white fancy 50 to 55; do gathered white 38 to 48; do hennery brown fancy 40 to 43; fresh gathered extra first 33 to 35; do first 30 to 32.

Potatoes—Weak; Southern sweets, per barrel 30 to 50.

Cabbages—Steady.

Freights and Peanuts—Unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Steady early with cotton but later eased off a shade under scattered selling by local longs and lack of outside demand. Futures closed generally 2 to 6 points lower. November 7.10 to 7.20; December 7.11 to 7.20; January 7.15 to 7.16; February 7.20 to 7.22; March 7.25 to 7.26; prime crude nominal; prime summer yellow 7.10 to 7.50; prime winter yellow 7.60 to 15.00; prime summer white 7.10 to 10.05.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Nov. 26.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady, 74 cents.

ROSIN—Steady, $5.25 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm, $2.60 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market, firm $4.50 per barrel for hard; $6.00 for dip and $6.00 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year: Spirits turpentine firm 54; rosin steady $3.55; tar, $2.60; crude turpentine, firm $2.50, $4.00 and $4.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	20
Rosin	67
Tar	26
Crude Turpentine	28

Receipts, same day last year, 26 casks spirits turpentine; 167 barrels rosin; 204 barrels tar; 22 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Quiet, 14½ cents for middling. Same day last year, 14 cents.

Receipts, 3,219 bales; same day last year, 922 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Nov. 26th.)

PEANUTS—Virginias, extra prime 70 cents, fancy 75 cents, Spanish from $1.05 to $1.15 cents, North Carolina, No. 1, 90 to 95 cents per bushel. New crop.

CORN—Firm, 70c per bushel.

N. C. HAMS—Good demand; hams 22; shoulders 17 to 18 cents and side 17 to 18c.

EGGS—Good demand, 27 cents.

CHICKENS—Spring 25 to 40; grown, 45 and 50 cents, dull.

BEESWAX—Firm at 27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2 to 5c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 45 to 50 cents per bushel.

HIDES—Dr. flint 13c; green 7c per pound.

WOOL—Burr 12 to 15c; free of burr 18 to 20c.

GEESE—60 cents per head.

PORK—9 to 10 cents, net.

SHEEP—No demand.

LAMB—$1.00 to $2.50.

PEAS—White peas $2.50 to $2.75.

IRISH POTATOES—New crop 80 to 90 cents, dull.

CABLES DISAPPOINTING.

Due to Free Offering in LverPool—Times-Democrat Report.

(Special Star Telegram.)

New York, Nov. 26.—Cables were somewhat disappointing reported, due to free offerings by the South in Liverpool and Continental selling there.

The week ended figures were bearish but the opening here was better than expected with moderate scattered selling which soon lost its force and the decline was more than recovered with prices at their best at the close. The trading was mostly profesional. The dry goods and mill reports give no light to the situation, good prices held and mills are unsettled.

Spot and export interests are reported as advising sales at present prices but this is not heeded. The Times-Democrat figures are expected to be bullish.

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PEANUTS.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Spanish—Market firm at $1.10 per bushel for New Spanish. No. 1 Shelled Spanish 7 1-2 to 7 3-4 cents per pound; No. 2 Shelled Spanish 4 3-4 to 5 cents.

Virginias—Market quiet at 3 1-4 to 3 3-4 cents for fancy hand picks; 2 1-2 to 3 cents for machine picks; 2 to 2 1-2 cents for shelling stock.

CONTINUED DULL IN STOCKS

Day's Eevents Brought Nothing to Stimulate Market—Bank Statement Shows Influence of Declining Money Market.

New York, Nov. 26.—The day's events brought nothing to stimulate interest in the stock market which was in a somnolent state. The desire on the part of many brokers to extend the Thanksgiving holiday over the end of the week, was called responsible in part for the intense dullness. A small fraction marked the extreme vibration for some of the most active stocks.

While the market presented this discouraging aspect from the standpoint of the traders, the banking and financial interests seemed content to see the speculation lie follow. The growing strength of the banking position is relied on to provide resources for coming bond flotations.

An advance in Pacific Mail was due to reports of the shipsubsidy to be embodied in the forthcoming message of the President to Congress. The bank statement showed plainly the influence of the declining money rate in prompting the trust companies to contract loans as shown in the average loan decrease of 13,000,000 by the "other banks." The transfer of deposits from the trust companies to the clearing house banks was accompanied by a loan expansion of $17,333,400 by the latter institutions as shown by the actual statement. The actual cash gain was about as estimated, the result being a further reduction of the excess of loans over deposits.

Bonds were steady. Total sales par value $770,000. United States 4s registered have advanced 1-4 per cent. in the bid prices on call since last week. Total sales stocks today 64,600 shares.

N. Y. Bonds.

U. S. ref 2s reg	100 3-4
U. S. ref 2s cou	100 3-4
U. S. 3s Reg	101 3-4
U. S. 3s cou	101 3-4
U. S. 4s reg	115
U. S. 4s cou	115 1-2
Allis Chalmers 1st 5s	77 7-8
American Agricultural 5s	102 1-2
American Tel. & Tel. cv. 4s	105 5-8
American Tobacco 4s	80 3-8
American Tobacco 6s	106 1-2
Armour & Co. 4 1-2s	91 5-8
Atchison gen. 4s	98 1-2
Atchison cv. 4s	106 7-8
Atchison cv. 5s	109
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	94
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	98
Baltimore & Ohio 3 1-2s	92 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio S. W. 3 1-2s	90
Brooklyn Transit cv. 4c	87
Central of Georgia 5s	106
Central Leather 5s	99 1-2
Central R. R. of N. J. gen. 5s	122 1-2
Chesapeake & Ohio 4 1-2s	101 1-2
Chesapeake & Ohio ref. 5s	95
Chicago & Alton 3 1-2s	69
Chicago, B. & Quincy joint 4s	95 5-8
Chicago, B. & Quincy gen. 4s	97 1-4
Chicago, Mil. & St. P. gen. 4s	93 1-4
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. R. R. col. 4s	74
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. Ry. rfg. 4s	88 1-2
Colorado Industrial 5s	77 1-8
Colorado Midland 4s	69
Colorado & Southern ref. & ext. 4 1-2s	97 1-8
Delaware & Hudson cv. 4es	98
Denver & Rio Grande 4s	94
Denver & Rio Grande ref. 5s	91
Distillers 5s	77
Erie prior lien 4s	83 1-4
Erie gen. 4s	74 1-2
Eret cv. 4s series "A"	75 3-8
Erie cv. 4s series "B"	79 1-2
General Electric cv. 5s	152 3-8
Illinois Central 1st ref. 4s	97 1-4
Interborough-Met. 4 1-2s	80 1-4
Inter. Merc. Marine 4 1-2s	65 1-8
Japan 4s	89
Japan 4 1-2s	94 3-4
Kansas City Southern 1st 3s	73 1-2
Lake Shore deb. 4s (1931)	92 7-8
Louisville & Nash. Un. 4s	99
Missouri, Kan. & Texas 1st 4s	97 5-8
Mo., Kan. & Texas gen. 4 1-2s	85
Missouri Pacific 4s	77 3-8
National Rys. of Mexico 4 1-2s	94 3-8
New York Central gen. 3 1-2s	88
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N. Y., N. H. & Hartford cv. 6s	104
Norfolk & Western 1st con. 4s	99
Norfolk & Western cv. 4s	100 1-4
Northern Pacific 4s	99 3-4
Northern Pacific 3s	70 1-2
Oregon Short Line rfdg. 4s	92 1-2
Penn. cv. 3 1-2s (1915)	95 7-8
Penn. con. 4s	105 3-4
Reading gen. 4s	98 1-4
St. Louis & San Fran. fg. 4s	81
St. Louis & San Fran. gen. 5s	86 1-4
St. Louis S'western con. 4s	75
St. Louis S'western 1st gold 4s	89 1-2
Seaboard Air Line 5s adj.	77
Southern Pacific col. 4s	94
Southern Pacific cv. 4s	97 1-4
Southern Pacific R. R. 1st ref. 4s	94
Southern Railway 5s	108 1-4
Southern Railway gen. 4s	76 1-4
Union Pacific 4s	104
Union Pacific cv. 4s	105 1-2
Union Pacific 1st and ref. 4s	96 3-4
U. S. Rubber 6s	102 7-8
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	100 5-8
Virginia Carolina Chemical 5s	100
Wabash 1st 5s	100
Wabash 1st and ext. 4s	85 3-4
Western Md. 4s	86 1-4
Westinghouse Electric cv. 5s	92 1-2
Wisconsin Central 4s	92 1-2

Closing Stock List.

Allis Chalmers pfd.	33
Amalgamated Copper	69 5-8
American Agricultural	44 1-2
American Beet Sugar	37 1-2
American Can	10
American Car & Foundry	54 1-8
American Cotton Oil	64
American Hide & Leather pfd.	23
American Ice Securities	18 1-2
American Linseed	12
American Locomotive	40 1-2
American Smelting & Refining	80 1-2
Amer. Smelting & Refining pfd.	105 1-4
Am. Steel Foundries	47
American Sugar Refining	117 3-4
American Tel. & Tel.	142 1-4
American Tobacco, pfd.	95
American Woolen	34 7-8
Atchison	103 3-8
Atchison pfd.	101 1-8
Atlantic Coast Line	118
Baltimore & Ohio	107 1-4
Bethleham Steel	32 1-4
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	77 5-8
Canadian Pacific	156 3-8
Central Leather	34 3-8
Central Leather pfd.	105 1-4
Central of New Jersey	285
Chesapeake & Ohio	84 1-2
Chicago & Alton	40
Chicago Great Western	25
Chicago Great Western pfd.	46 1-2
Chicago & North Western	146
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	124 5-8
C., C., C & St. Louis	67
Colorado Fuel & Iron	34
Colorado & Southern	29 1-2
Consolidated Gas	134 3-4
Corn Products	16 1-2
Delaware & Hudson	169
Denver & Rio Grande	32 1-4
Denver & Rio Grande pfd.	73 1-2
Distillers' Securities	33 1-8
Erie	29 5-8
Erie 1st pfd.	48
Erie 2nd pfd.	36 7-8
General Electric	160
Great Northern pfd.	124 1-8
Great Northern Ore Ctfs.	70
Illinois Central	134 1-4
Interborough-Met.	20 1-2
Interborough-Met. pfd.	55 1-2
Inter Harvester	113
Inter-Marine pfd.	17
International Paper	13 3-4
International Pump	44 5-8
Iowa Central	20
Kansas City Southern	33
Kansas City Southern pfd.	66
Laclede Gas	107 1-2
Louisville & Nashville	145 1-4
Minneapolis & St. Louis	30
Minn. St. P. & Sault St. M.	134
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	34
Missouri, Kansas & Texas, pfd.	69
Missouri Pacific	51
National Biscuit	111
National Lead	58 3-4
Nat'l Rys. of Mexico 2nd pfd.	36 3-8
New York Central	113 3-4
New York, Ontario & Western	42 1-4
Norfolk & Western	99 5-8
North American	62
Northern Pacific	116 3-8
Pacific Mail	32 3-4
Pennsylvania	130 1-2
People's Gas	105 3-4
Pittsburg, C. C. & St. Louis	95
Pittsburg Coal	20
Pressed Steel Car	34
Pullman Palace Car	164 1-2
Railway Steel Spring	33 1-2
Reading	152 3-4
Republic Steel	34 1-4
Republic Steel pfd.	97
Rock Island Co.	33
Rock Island Co. pfd.	66 3-4
St. Louis & San Fran. 2nd pfd.	41 1-4
St. Louis Southwestern	24 1-4
St. Louis Southwestern pfd.	62
Sloss Sheffield Steel and Iron	51
Southern Pacific	117 3-4
Southern Railway	27
Southern Railway pfd.	63
Tennessee Copper	37
Texas & Pacific	27
Toledo, St. Louis & West.	25 1-4
Toledo, St. Louis & West. pfd.	56 1-2
Union Pacific	178
Union Pacific pfd.	72 1-2
United States Realty	70
United States Rubber	34 5-8
United States Steel	79 7-8
United States Steel pfd.	118 1-8
Utah Copper	49 1-2
Virginia Carolina Chemical	62 1-2
Wabash	17 1-4
Wabash pfd.	36 1-2
Western Maryland	46 1-4
Westinghouse Electric	72
Western Union	72 1-4
Wheeling & Lake Erie	5 1-2

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Nov. 26.—Wheat sank in almost a straight line today and closed at the lowest point of the session, 1 1-8 to 1 1-4 to 1 3-8c under last night. The chief reasons were large world shipments, rains in Argentina and official forecast of a break in the long run of dry weather southwest of here. Latest figures for corn showed a net loss of 1-4 to 7-8 and oats 1-8 to 3-8 lower. In provisions the finish varied from 15c decline to 7 1-2c advance.

Cash grain. Wheat:—No. 2 red, 92 1-2 to 93; No. 3 red, 90 to 92; No. 2 hard, 93 to 95; No. 3 hard, 90 to 93; No. 1 northern, 1.07 to 1.08; No. 2 northern, 1.50 to 1.07; No. 3 northern, 1.03 to 1.06; No. 2 spring, 99 to 1.04; No. 3 spring, 97 to 1.03; velvet chaff, 90 to 1.00; durum, 82 to 92.

Corn—No. 2, 47 1-2 to 50; No. 2 white, 47 1-2 to 48 1-2; No. 3 yellow, 51 1-2 to 52; No. 3, 47 to 47 1-2; No. 3, new, 4 4to 45; No. 3 white, 47 to 47 1-2; No. 3 white, new, 44 to 45; No. 3 yellow, 51 to 51 1-2; No. 3 yellow, new, 46 to 46 1-2; No. 4, 46 to 46 1-2; No. 4 new, 42 to 43; No. 4 white, 46 1-2 to 47; No. 4 white, new, 42 to 43; No. 4 yellow, 50 to 50 1-2; No. 4 yellow, new, 43 to 43 1-2.

Oats—No. 2, 30 3-4; No. 2 white, 32 1-2 to 33 1-4; No. 3 white, 32 to 32 1-4; No. 4 white, 31 to 32; standard, 32 1-2 to 33.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT				
Dec.	90½	90½	89¾	89¾
May	96⅞	97⅜	95½	95⅝
July	93¼	93¼	92¼	92⅜
CORN				
Dec.	44⅜	44⅝	44⅛	44⅛
May	47	47⅛	46⅜	46⅜
July	47⅝	48	47⅝	47⅝
OATS				
Dec.	30¾	30¾	30½	30⅝
May	33¾	33⅝	33⅜	33⅞
July	32⅝	32⅝	32¾	32⅞
Mess Pork, per barrel				
Jan.	16 67	16 77	16 62½	16 65
May	16 15	16 20	16 12½	16 12½
Lard, per 100 pounds				
Nov.	9 85	9 85	9 70	9 70
Jan.	9 62½	9 65	9 57	9 62
May	9 45	9 47	9 40	9 45
Short Ribs, per 100 pounds				
Jan.	8 95	8 92	8 92	8 92
May	8 82	8 85	8 80	8 82½

RICHARD SWEENEY DEAD.

Formerly Employed by Coast Line in Wilmington—A Mason.

A telegram yesterday morning to Mr. C. C. Brown, secretary of Orient Lodge, A. F. & A. M., of this city, of which he was a member, and a further press dispatch last night announced the sudden death of Mr Richard Sweeny, formerly employed in the passenger department of the A. C. L., in this city, but for the past few years with the company in Richmond, Va. Mr. Sweeny passed away suddenly of heart trouble at the age of about 60 years. Many friends of Mr. Sweeny in Wilmington will hear of his death with sorrow.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Nov. 26.—Money nominal. Time loans very dull and easy sixty and ninety days 4 to 4 1-4 per cent.; six months 4 to 4 1-4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5 1-2 to 5 3-4 per cent. Sterling exchange soft with actual business in bankers at 4.8215 to 4.8225 for sixty day bills and at 4.8605 for demand. Commercial bills 4.81 1-2 to 7-8. Bar silver 55 1-8. Mexican dollars 46.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Nov. 26.—Turpentine, easy.

Savannah, Nov. 26.—Turpentine, firm, 76; sales, 281; receipts, 1,092; shipments, 90; stocks, 15,482.

Rosin firm; sales, 2,256; receipts, 4,870; shipments, 2,650; stocks, 82,645. Quote: B. 5.00; D. 5.05; E. 5.70; F. 5.75; G. 5.80; H. 5.85; I. 6.10; K. 6.45; M. 6.70; N. 7.10; WG. 7.45; WW. 7.55.

Charleston, Nov. 26.—Turpentine, firm, 74 1-2.

Rosin, firm. Quote: A. B. C. 5.55; D. 5.60; E. 5.65; F. 5.70 to 5.80; G. 5.72 1-2 to 5.90; H. 5.75; I. 6.05; K. 6.42 1-2; M. 6.65; N. 7.00; WG. 7.35; WW. 7.45.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Nov. 26.—The dry goods markets were quiet for the day. Values were holding fairly steady in cotton goods and yarns. Linens are very firm. Burlaps are barely steady. Fine and fancy wash goods are firm with a higher tendency.

NASH COUNTY TEACHERS.

Meeting Held Friday—Slayer of Chief Stallings For Trial.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Nashville, Nov. 26.—The teachers of Nash county held an interesting meeting here yesterday. All of the teachers of the county but 16 were present, and all those present took a lively interest in the discussions.

Norman Lewis, the slayer of Chief of Police Stallings of Spring Hope, was brought to Nashville from Raleigh yesterday afternoon and lodged in jail. He will be arraigned in court Monday. The officials feel that he is safe here, for he will be given a speedy trial Monday. Absolutely no trouble is expected. The officers will see to it that he doesn't escape from their custody. Sheriff Johnston brought the prisoner to Nashville.

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TRINITY DECLAMATION.

Contest Friday Night Great Success—College News.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Trinity College, Durham, N. C., Nov. 26.—Before a crowd that almost measured up to the crowds at commencement, the great inter-scholastic declamation contest, given by the "9019" Society of the college came off last night with the greatest degree of success. At nine o'clock in the morning was begun a preliminary contest, at which all of the thirty-two contestants vied with each other as to who should make the best speeches. At this contest ten speakers were chosen for the final contest at eight P. M. in the Craven Memorial Hall.

When the hour arrived for the speaking the ten men who were to contest for the handsome gold medal were escorted to the stage. Prof. E. C. Brooks, of the department of Education, presided. He stated the object of the meeting and called the first speaker.

The speakers and their subjects were as follows:

Durham High School:—Beverly C. Snow—Spartacus to the Roman Envoys.

Wilmington High School:—Gray Hicks—The Conquered Banner.

East Durham High School:—Clarence Ross—Reguius to the Roman and Carthaginian Senates.

Kinston High School:—Golden Rhodes—The Traitor's Dead Bed.

Mars Hill College:—Jeter McKinley Pritchard—The Chivalry and Traditions of the South.

Winston High School:—Harry Lee Dalton—The Old and the New South.

Warsaw High School:—Henry L. Stevens, Jr—The New South.

Hawfield's High School:—Will C. Copeland—Antony's Speech Over the Body of Julius Caesar.

Gastonia High School:—Carey J. Hunter, Jr.—Military Glory and Robert E. Lee.

At the close of the speaking, the judges, who were Prof. N. W. Walker, Chapel Hill; Prof. E. W. Sikes, Wake Forest; Mr. Allen J. Barwick, of the State Department of Education, of Raleigh, retired and made up their decision. Prof. Sikes came upon the stage to present the medal. He said that the hardest part of the entire contest was the deciding of the winner. He regretted that there was not a medal for every one of the contestants, and made the prophecy that some of the boys that did not win this time would be the winners in the future years, for it was in them. Mr. Jeter McKinley Pritchard won the medal. There seems to have been an understanding that in giving the medal to young Pritchard, a namesake of the late President McKinley, whom Judge Pritchard loved so well, the committee made no mistake. The young man, far younger than he appears to be, has great declamatory ability and spoke with all the promise of an orator.

During the contest the Glee Club was on hand, and gave some fine selections.

After the announcement of the winner, which was made about 10 o'clock, the young men were invited over to the Hesperian Society Hall, where they were entertained at an informal banquet. Speeches were made by the representatives from South Carolina and Virginia by some of the declaimers and by some of the faculty. There were no ladies present and the reception did not break up until after midnight.

The great success of this first contest will doubtless make it a permanent thing in the college. The contest was given by the "9019" Society, and the number of schools represented shows the wide interest that has been taken in the matter. There are few designs that are handsomer, and nothing given by Trinity will surpass the gold medal.

BIG HIGHWAY PROPOSED.

Greater Charlotte Club Will Entertain Committees Working on Projects.

(Charlotte Observer, Nov. 26.)

The Greater Charlotte Club will be host to committees having charge of the construction of highways between Charlotte-Salisbury and Asheville and Charlotte and Wilmington at a meeting to be held here next Wednesday afternoon. A smoker will be tendered in the assembly room of the Selwyn and during the afternoon the committeemen will be given a trip by automobile over the splendid stretches of Mecklenburg macadam. Mr. W. A. Huntley, of Wadesboro, is the leading spirit that has been brought forward in the enterprise of constructing a highway between Charlotte and Wilmington and he will head the delegation from that section. It is hoped that the attendance from the towns interested in this establishment will be large. Mr. R. O. Alexander, of this city, is chairman of the committee having in charge the matter of building a road directly from Salisbury to Asheville and by which it is proposed to joint Charlotte with the mountain region. The towns interested in this road have already for the most part appointed their representatives and all are wanted at this meeting here, the main purpose of which is to cement the two committees with the ultimate view of getting a highway between Wilmington on the one side of the State and Asheville on the other. Charlotte, as will be evidenced at a glance, occupies a strategic position and citizens here have become much interested in the proposition. The Greater Charlotte Club will see to it that the visitors are given a good time and the organization is anxious to have the committees hold the joint meeting here, believing that it will stimulate interest in the larger project proposed and hasten the attainment of the end immediately in view.

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THE WEATHER

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 27, 1910.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M., Saturday, Nov. 26th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 40 degrees; 8 P. M. 54 degrees; maximum 63 degrees; minimum 38 degrees; mean 50 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; for the month, .50 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., Saturday 2.1 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair and warmer Sunday; Monday rain; light variable winds becoming south.

Port Calendar—November 27.

Sun Rises.....6:56 A. M.
Sun Sets.....5:03 P. M.
Day's Length.....10 hrs. 7 min.
High water at Southport 5:30 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 8:30 P. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A. C. L.—Schedule.
A. David Co.—Styles.
Farley & Co.—$1 a Week.
A. O. Schuster—Diamonds.
Farris' Bakery—Don't Forget.
I. Shrier—"Beehler" Umbrellas.
Geo. O. Gaylord—New Arrivals.
Cape Fear Oil Co.—Reduction.
Academy—"The Midnight Sons."
Peoples Savings Bank—Remember.
W. B. Cooper—Canned Vegetables.
J. W. Brooks—Belle of Wilmington.
Wm. M. Bellamy—Commissioner's Sale.
W. D. MacMillan, Jr.—E. M. F. Thirty.
C. H. Fore & Co.—Warner's Rust Proof.
R. W. Montgomery & Co.—Biddy's Cackling.

Business Locals.

Lost—Bracelet.
Lost—Setter Dog.
Wright's—For Sale.
Wright's—For Rent.
Wanted—Young Printer.
J. J. Knox—Tax Notice.
J. O. Reilly—Real Estate.
Martin O'Brien—For Rent.
C. H. Rowan—Male Help.
C. W. Polvogt Co.—Toyland.
For Rent—Furnished Room.
C. H. Rowan—Female Help.
I. Shrier—Show Case for Sale.
Wanted—Traveling Salesman.
Strong Knit—Women to Sell.
For Rent—Unfurnished Rooms.
The Willson Co.—Wall Paper.
W. D. Stokley—Oyster Roasts.
W. D. Stokley—Myrtle Roasts.
Wanted—Assistant in Shipping.
Wanted—Office Work by Lady.
Palace Market Co.—Chickens Lay.
For Rent—Desirable Front Room.
R. D. Tucker—Cemetery Work.
For Rent—Desirable New Home.
J. R. Hockaday—Special Bargain.
Mrs. Sykes—Switches, Puffs, Etc.
For Rent—Newly Furnished Room.
Wanted—Position as Stenographer.
Wright's Real Estate Agency—Do You?
Atlanta Specialty Co.—Salesman Wanted.
For Sale or Exchange—Five Passenger Car.
U. S. Calendar Co.—Traveling Salesman Wanted.

ATTACK ON TAFT THWARTED.

Lively Session of Waterways Convention in St. Louis.

St. Louis, November 26.—An attack on President Taft was thwarted today at the final session of the Lakes-to-the-Gulf-Deep Waterways Association Convention here this afternoon after the resolutions committee had asked approval of its report. Friends of the President rushed to the platform and appealed to the delegates to eliminate what Governor Charles S. Deneen, of Illinois, termed "an insult." After two hours of warm discussion the objectionabl section was stricken out.

The section which caused the heated debate follows:

"And in bitter disappointment and in sorrow we are compelled to deplore the course of the executive in delaying the creation of the board provided for in the last Rivers and Harbors act, and in finally appointing a board which proved unfriendly to our policy and our project, despite our patriotic effort to aid him by information concerning these physical and commercial conditions better known to us than to others."

As soon as Alex R. Scott, of Memphis, chairman of the committee completed the reading of the resolutions R. R. Borland, of Peoria, Ills., moved to strike out the section. After some debate, Borland withdrew the motion and Congressman Richard Bartholdt, of Missouri, renewed it.

Congressman Bartholdt said the section did an injustice to the President and Mr. Taft by the wording of the act was compelled to name the chief engineer of the army as one of the board. He appealed to the convention to eliminate the harsh and untrue words.

Congressman H. T. Rainey, of Illinois, made a bitter attack on the army engineers as a whole and said the men on the board were prejudiced against the waterway. He said the resolution as read should be adopted. Governor Deneen characterized the section as "an insult" and declared that President Taft had attracted the attention of the world to the project by making a trip down he Mississippi river last year. He predicted that next year the convention would be attacking the members of Congress.

At this point Chairman Scott said the committee in its deliberations had not discussed politics and E. S. Conway, of Chicago, first vice president of the association, said: "It is not always best to express publicly our private opinions."

Congressman Rainey then seconded Congressman Barthold's motion, remarking that "The powers now have a salutary warning."

Other resolutions which were adopted demand of Congress a waterway connecting the Great Lakes with the Gulf of Mexico as the main artery of our navigation system to provide for an initial depth of not less than 14 feet with lock sills adapted to a depth of not less than 24 feet.

The officers of the association, including President W. K. Kavanaugh, of St. Louis, were re-elected.

4'C IN CHARLOTTE SOLD.

Southern Power Company Buys the Big Concern.

Charlotte, N. C., Nov. 26.—Announcement was made tonight of the purchase by the Southern Power Company of the property and franchises of the Charlotte Consolidated Construction Company, embracing the local street car lines, with 26 miles of trackage, gas and electric lighting systems and power plant. Both parties to the deal, which is understood to involve nearly a million dollars, decline firmly to mention the consideration.

New lot black Caracul Coats; Misses' sizes, 10 to 20; ladies' sizes, 34 to 40, just received at Rehder's. **

BATTLING NELSON THE LOSER AGAIN

(Continued From Page One.)

left and right shoots to the face. Moran uppercut with his left to the jaw and a moment later sent the same glove to the face. Moran was scoring cleanly and had the better of the round.

Round 7—Nelson forced the fighting, landing left and right on the face. The Battler seemed to have Moran going and Moran made Nelson wince sending several rights in quick succession to the face. Moran's round.

Round 8—After half minute of desultory exchanges Nelson forced his man to break ground by shooting in several rights and lefts to the body and face. He went right after his man but Moran scored constantly with well timed right and left hooks to the face, one of which all but closed Nelson's left eye. Moran's round.

Round 9—Nelson opened the round full of fight. A short right swing reached the Briton's jaw and soon afterward a straight left found the mark. The men continued to fight close, Moran sending in straight right and left punches to the face that carried plenty of powe behind them. Again Moran had the better of the round.

Round 10.—The usual close range rally ensued during which both landed some telling punches. The round was rather tame, neither having an advantage.

Round 11—Neither man appeared to be in distress at this stage of the contest. Then Moran suddenly shot a vicious right flush to the jaw and Nelson went down for the count with the blood streaming from his mouth. Three times more did the Englishman humiliate the ex-champion by flooring him with clean straight right smashes to the jaw, Nelson taking the count on each occasion. Moran for the fifth time toppled the now defeated Battler with a powerful right. This blow settled it and Nelson was counted out before he could arise from his haunches. Moran was the Battler's master from start to finish and he encompassed the ex-champion's defeat in thorough, workmanlike fashion. Nelson was floored five times in the eleventh round from the effects of right smashes on the point of the chin and it was only his idominitable fighting spirit which prevented him from taking the count on the first knock down.

Cadillas, Mich., Nov. 26.—Ad Wolgast, champion light weight pugilist of the world, tonight declared he was willing to meet Owen Moran, who defeated Battling Nelson at San Francisco next May if he were insured $12,500 and were permitted to name the referee.

Wolgast has established permanent training quarters at Lake Michigan where he is working daily to keep in condition.

A PLEA FOR RAILROADS.

Insurance Official at Rate Hearing—Testimony.

Washington, Nov. 26.—Speaking for the 20,000,000 life insurance policy holders in the United States, President George E. Ide, of the Home Life Insurance Company, today urged before the Interstate Commerce Commission that in its disposition of the pending freight rate increases in the Eastern Trunk Line territory the commission avoid any more which would strike a blow at railroad securities. Mr. Ide said, in his testimony, that he was not taking a position for or against the proposed increase, but pointed out that in his company alone 37 1-2 per cent. of its total assets is invested in railroad securities and that his company held these bonds sacredly in trust for its 45,000 policy holders. Mr. Ide said he appeared for the life insurance interests generally.

"If to rany reason," he said, "there is created in the mind of the financial world the slightest suspicion that our railroads cannot earn a fair living then credit will be at once impaired for buyers of these securities will not be found."

E. E. Williamson, freight commissioner for the commercial organizations of Cincinnati, resumed his testimony, telling about the "remarkably good" financial condition of American railroads. He said that since the Hepburn Act the public had been contributing greater revenues to the railroads and that the effective enforcement of the law against rebates practically spelled the difference between bankruptcy and prosperity for the railroads. He declared that the basis of credit of nearly all the railroads was good.

BRAZIL TROUBLE IS OVER.

Mutinous Sailors Surrender Warships of The Nation.

Rio aJneiro, Nov. 26.—At 7 o'clock tonight all the warships which took part in the mutiny were handed over to the officers named by the government, who took command.

The ships of the Brazilian fleet, which have been in the hands of mutinous sailors since the night of November 22nd, were surrendered to the government at 7 o'clock this evening. This action of the mutineers followed the granting of their demands by the government of amnesty to all concerned in the revolt, higher pay and less work for the sailors and the adjustment of certain minor grievances. A meeting of the naval club was held this evening to discuss what attitude the naval officers would assume following the amnesty.

Dressed in "Black and Yellow."

Not "Football Colors," but the color of the carton containing Foley's Honey and Tar the best and safest cough remedy for all coughs and colds. Do not accept a substitute but see that you get the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in a yellow carton with black letters. Robert R. Bellamy

In reading store ads most people are looking for definite information bout some particular article—hence merchants should quote prices always.

ALL QUIET IN MEXICO.

Sensational Rumors Have No Foundation—Troops on Border.

Laredo, Texas, Nov. 26.—Barring the many sensational rumors which seem to almost hourly gain currency there have been no new developments in today's news regarding the revolution.

General Villa has received advices covering his entire district and that of Colonel Pena from Colombia to Ciudad Porfiro Diaz and the reports quiet at all points along the border and in the immediate interior.

According to the American officers, the same quiet conditions exist at all places along the American side of the river.

The United States troops are still encamped at Minera, 10 miles above Laredo on the line of the Rio Grande and Eagle Pass railroad for the purpost of maintaining observance of the neutrality laws.

Mexico City, November 26.—The only news to reach this city today indicating activity on the part of the revolutionists was that of the raiding by a band of 25 to 30 half starved men early today of Retonia ranch near Sacramento, 30 miles north of the Torreon. The ranch store is said to have been stripped of provisions, these apparently being the sole quest of the marauders. Nothing else was molested. News of the raid reached Torreon by telephone. A call for rurales was sent to Leredo and they at once went in pursuit.

News dispatches and official reports from various points in the disturbed areas gave no indication of further trouble.

Laredo, Texas, No. 26.—The Mexican government at 7:2o o'clock tonight lifted the embargo on the use of all telegraph wires and furnished the Associated Press with its leased wire to the City of Mexico.

For the first time in five days all press reports is going into the republic. The fact that the government find it convenient to do away with one of its few direct circuit is taken as an indication that the situation is now well in hand there and that there is no further fear of an outbreak, especiany in the interior.

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WANTED—Young man who has had some experience in printing office and would be able to set heads and assist foreman generally on morning newspaper. Splendid chance to learn newspaper work in up-to-date shop. Address or call at Morning Star office, Wilmington, N. C. no 27-3t.

THIS IS YOUR CHANCE to buy a good home, or to make an investment in a locality where houses are always in demand. For Thirty-five hundred dollars I can sell you a 7 room house, with improvements, that will pay you 10 per cent. Lot is 39x90. Has an alley on one side and in the rear. Located on Four-h, between Walnut and Red Cross streets. Can arrange a good loan on this property. Don't miss this opportunity. James Owen Reilly, Insurance & Real Estate nov. 27-2t.

TAXES—I will be at William Goodman's store, Saturday, December 3rd, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M., for the purpose of collecting State and County taxes. J. J. Knox, Sheriff Brunswick County. nov. 27-6t.

FOR RENT—Large front newly furnished room, bath, electric lights, telephone, finest ric htable board, by strictly private family. Best centrally located residence Address "Comfort," care Morning Star. nov. 27-1t.*

FOR SALE—In a good central location, two lots and house of nine rooms. The two lots have a frontage of 66 feet on south side of Orange street, near car line. This house has six large bedrooms, 16x18 and parlor, dining room and kitchen besides hall; all rooms nively papered and in fine order. This property would make an ideal boarding house, being very central in location and having large airy rooms, which appeal to the modern individual; can be purchased between $5,000 and $6,000, if sold at once. Wright's Real Estate Agency, 124 Princess street. no 27-1t.

WANTED—Office work by lady with six months' experience and knowledge of shorthand and typewriting. "Address "M," care Star. nov. 27-1t.*

SIDELINE TRAVELING salesmen make $30 to $50 weekly handling our latest production of advertising fans. Liberal terms. Apply at once. United States Calendar Co., Cincinnati. nov. 27-1t.*

FOR RENT—Very desireable new room partly furnished. Use of kitchn adjoining. Own entrance, Southern exposure, 309 Queen street. nov. 27-1t.*

WANTED—Salesman traveling small towns to sell our mill production of Spring dress goods novelties and white goods direct to retail stores on commission. Desirable side line. Frank D LaLanne & Co., Philadelphia, Pa. nov. 27-1t.*

WOMEN sell guaranteed hose, 70 per cent. profit. Make $20 daily. Full or part time. Beginners investigate. Strong Knit, Box 4029, West Philadelphia, Pa. nov. 27-1t.*
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FOR RENT—residence No. 512 North Third street furnished, partly furnished or unfurnished, also residence No. 313 Church street. Apply to Martin O'Brien. nov. 27-1t.*

MALE HELP—Anyone, anywhere can earn big pay copying addresses at home evenings. Book, 4 cents stamsps. C. H. Rowan, Chicago, Ill.

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

OYSTER ROASTS—and all that go with them at Lumina. Fresh from Myrtle Grove. Hot coffee also served. 'Phone 5004. W. D. Stokely. nov 27-1t.*

ROOMS FOR RENT—Two large unfurnished rooms. Apply 219 South Third street. nov. 27-2t.*

FOR RENT—No. 21 South Ninth street, between Market and Dock, east side of street, giving a southwest exposure. House has just been painted inside and out, has electric lights, gas, bath and sewerage, installed the past week, making a thoroughly modern up-to-date house for $22.50 per month. Wright's Real Estate Agency, 124 Princess street. nov. 27-1t.

DO YOU OWN YOUR HOME? If not, read this. Two-story, six-room house and bath, located on east side of South Second street, No. 515. This house is comparatively new, having been thoroughly overhauled within the past two years. A mental picture of what house would be this: Four rooms, 12x15, two rooms, 10x10, hall 7x25, bath 7x10, all rooms except kitchen, beautifully papered at a cost as high as $1.19 roll, oak finish inside, light green outside, one mantel in parlor that cost $40.00 and very pretty chandeliers in two rooms. Bathroom has 6 foot porcelain tub, low tank closet and finished in nice style, kitchen has gas range, wood range and all conveniences, and with a lot 33x163 feet it is an ideal home for $2,700. 'Phone 342 Monday and we will send up our representative to explain how easy it can be bought. Wright's Real Estate Agency, No. 124 Princess street. nov. 27-1t.

MONUMENTS—For all kinds of cemetery work, see R. D. Tucker, 308 Grace street, or 'phone 702. nov. 27-2t.*

SALESMAN WANTED to work in North Carolina with line of candy, cigars and soft drinks. Salary and expenses. Atlanta Specialty Co., Atlanta, Ga. nov. 27-1t.*

LOST—On Market street road, near seven mile post, one Llelwyn setter dog, about nine months old. Answers to name Caesar. Reward if returned to 911 Orange street, or to this office. nov. 27-3t.x

WANTED—Position as stenographer, by lady-graduate of both branches. 10 years' experience. Desire change of location after Christmas. Address "G. A. K.," No. 11 North Third street, Richmond, Va. nov. 27-1t.*

FOR SALE—An elegant outside show case at a low price. I Shrier, Northeast corner of Front and Princess streets. nov. 27-1t.

SWITCHES, PUFFS, chignons and the latest fads in head dress made from combings and cut hair, prices reasonable. Mrs. Sykes, 16 North Ninth street, 'phone 1070. nov. 27-1t.*

FOR RENT—Private family have nicely furnished corner room, suitable for one or two gentlemen, southwestern exposure, all conveniences. Address "Home," care of the Star. nov. 27-3t.

SPECIAL BARGAIN—1,000 acres, good land, well set in nice pine timber, near navigable water, $3,000 includes land. J. R. Hockaday, 310 North Front street, Wilmington, N. C. nov. 27-1t.*

LOST—Plain gold bracelet between Eighth and Chestnut streets and Fourth and Walnut or between Fourth, Walnut and Racket Store. Finder will please leave at 116 North Eighth street and receive reward. nov. 27-1t.*

FEMALE HELP—Anyone, anywhere can earn big pay copying addresses at home evenings. Book, 4 cents stamps. C. H. Rowan, Chicago, Ill. nov. 27-1t.*

MAKE YOUR CHICKENS lay all Winter. Get some of it, will make more eggs that you can eat. Special price on lots of 50 pounds or more. 'Phone 72, Palace Market. nov. 27-tf.

DESIRABLE front room to let, southwest exposure, all modern conveniences. Table board, if desired, block and a half from postoffice. Address "Private," care Star. 'Phone 614 nov. 27-1w.

TOYLAND will be open next Wednesday in store next to our present store. The C. W. Polvogt Company. nov. 27-1t.

WANTED—Assistant in shipping department. Addddress "Dry Goods, care Star. nov. 27-1t.

FOR SALE or will exchange for team, one five-passenger, four cylinder automobile in running order. Has practically new tires. Address P. O. Box 172. nov. 27-2t.*

WALL PAPER—Will have on display Monday forty new designs. These papers are stylish and neat. Prices from 10 to 20 cents per roll. The Willson Co., 215 Princess street. nov. 27-1t.*

FRESH MYRTLE GROVE oysters at Lumina today. Refreshments served with them. 'phone 5004. W. D. Stokley. nov. 27-1t.*

WANTED—Traveling salesman. Salary nd expenses. Big demand for our goods. Answer quick as territory is limited. Sales Manager, N. 207 South Commercial street, St. Louis, Mo. ja 9 eo su 26t

WE DESIRE to establish an exclusive agency in this territory for an inside and outside flaming arc lamp. The points of excellence of the lamp guarantee a large financial return to a worker. In writing state your qualifications. Geare & Co., 218 East Lexington street, Baltimore, Md. no 23-2t-we-su.*

CITY LAUNDRY'S WET WASH—Have you tried our wet wash? If not ask your neighbor about it or call up the City Laundry, 'phone 249, and it will be explained to you. Think of the unsanitary conditions of the wash woman, and the amount of contagious diseases there is in our city today. I started this wet wash by request of many of my customers who saw the danger they were running in giving their clothes to the wash woman. Our prices are very reasonable. We only charge 75 cents for 50 pieces. City Laundry Co., Third Street, opposite City Hall. nov. 20-22-23-27-29-30-6t.

SPECIAL ATTENTION! Multigraph circulars just like typewriting cheap as printing. Expert typewriting and stenographic work. Notary public; work guaranteed correct. Meares Harriss, Public Stenographer, Notary Public. 'Phone 708. 114 Princess street. oct. 23-tf tu th sun.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, one thirteen ton Shay tram engine. Standard guage. James Arnette, East Arcadia, N. C. nov. 25--6t.*

COME IN AND SEE us today. We have everything good to eat in our line, best of beef, veal, lamb and pork. Norfolk and New River oysters, fancy celery, lettuce and tomatoes. Give us a trial. Palace Market Co. 'Phone 72. nov. 26-tf.

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FOR PLUMBING repairs call R. T. Wells, 'phone 1531, at 503 Walnut street. nov. 24-1mo..

FOR SALE—A mandolin, original cost $27, will sell for $5, also one valve trombone, for $10. Both instruments in good conuition. Address "Music," care Star.

WANTED—$70.00 month. Customs, internal revenue, railway mail clerks. List of Spring examinations in Wilmington, N. C., now ready. Preparation free. Franklin Institute, Dept. 280 A., Rochester, N. Y. nov. 13-15-19-20-26-27-dec.-3-4-8t.*

FOR SALE—Ludwig upright standard piano, mahogany finish. A bargain to someone who desires a first-class instrument. Apply to Mrs. J. H. Nigget, 411 Walnut street, or call 'phone 227. nov. 15-tf.

IF YOU NEED anything in the tailoring line see that professional tailor, Leger Meyer, Princess Building, second floor. nov. 10-1m.

TO THE LADIES—Has it ever occurred to you how far a dozen of your photographs will go in remembering your friends at Christmas time. A well executed photograph is a most acceptable remembrance. We make the kend that pleases. Foltz & Kendrick, Southern Building. nov. 6-tf.

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LET US FIGURE on repainting and repairing your old buggies, wagons and automobiles. We can save you money. Wilmington Carriage Works, 1103 Castle street. 'Phone 1039. oct. 23-tf.

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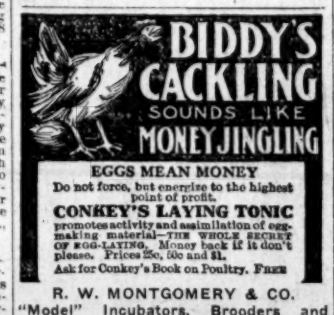

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56 Cases Fancy Pineapple.

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